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CHICAGO PACKERS UNDER INDICTMENT

Action Against Ten Officials of Swift, Armour and Morris Concerns.

ON THREE SEPARATE CHARGES

Combination, Conspiracy and Illegal Monopoly Charged—Follows Lengthy Investigation by Federal Grand Jury.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—The Federal grand jury, which has been investigating Chicago packers, late today returned indictments against ten high officials of the Swift, Armour and Morris concerns. There are three indictments against each charging combination, conspiracy and illegal monopoly.

The men indicted are L. F. Swift, president of Swift & Company; Edward Swift, vice president of Swift & Company; Charles H. Swift, director of Swift & Company; Francis A. Fowler, director of Swift & Company; Edward Tilden, president of the National Packing Company; J. Ogden Armour, president of Armur & Company; Arthur Meeker, general manager, Armour & Company; Thomas J. Connors, superintendent of Armour & Company; Edward Morris, president of Morris & Company and Louis H. Heyman, manager of Morris & Company.

The first indictment in detail charges all defendants with engaging in a trade in fresh meats. The second combination in restraint of interstate charges conspiracy. The third charges the defendants with monopolizing the trade in fresh meats by unlawful means.

The investigation just ended was the second started by Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, who imposed the $29,000,000 Standard Oil fine, within a year. On January 20th, he ordered a grand jury inquiry, which on March 20th resulted in the indictment of the National Packing Company and ten subsidiary concerns.

Attorneys for the packers filed a demurrer to the indictments. On June 23rd Judge Landis sustained the demurrer, killing the government's case against the packing companies. At the same time he issued an order for a special grand jury venire of 75 men for July 14th.

The witnesses who were summoned included employes of the Chicago companies, Eastern packers, small independents, New York wholesale and retail meat dealers, and packers from as far West as Denver.

A. T. Fuller, vice president of the National Packing Company; C. C. Snow, secretary and treasurer, and Arthur Colby, assistant treasurer, were among the witnesses and were said to have obtained immunity.

Moses K. Joseph, secretary of the New York Butchers' Dressed Beef Association, was the most important witness early in the investigation. He told how the Chicago packers got control of an independent concern founded by the butchers to fight the alleged trust. Altogether, more than 200 witnesses were examined.

The grand jury continued its work quietly for about a month. Then, on August 11th Thomas G. Lee, manager of the Dressed Beef Department of Armour & Company was indicted for perjury.

The grand jury also returned a report charging Alfred R. Urion, chief counsel for Armour & Company and president of the Chicago Board of Education, and three Armour office employes with having destroyed stenographers' notebooks after the books had been demanded by the inquisitrial body.

The men appeared in court and after a hearing lasting several days, Judge Landis dismissed the charge against Urion on testimony that the books were destroyed before the grand jury asked for them and without the cognizance of Mr. Urion. Disposition of the perjury case was set for September 19th.

In the Lee perjury indictment, it was charged that weekly meetings were held in Chicago at which meetings the packers fixed prices and decided how much business should be done by each company during the week.

The first Federal grand jury investigation of meat packers began March 12, 1905. On July 1, 1905, indictments were returned against 16 individuals and five corporations. On December 13, 1905, the only trial of the packers on these indictments began. This dragged along until July 1, 1906, when Judge Humphreys gave his famous "immunity bath" to all individuals on trial. He declared the defendants had been compelled to furnish testimony which resulted in their indictment and that the cases against them should be dismissed.

In December, 1908, another Federal grand jury inquiry was begun. This dragged on until April, 1909, when it was dropped with no indictment and no reasons given.

The indictment charging the packing company officers with engaging in a combination in restraint of trade declares that the object of the agreement is the elimination of competition by the Swift, the Armour and the Morris groups of defendants in the purchase of live cottle, sheep and hogs and also in the sale of fresh meats throughout the United States.

The indictment further declares that

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HURRICANE APPROACHING

West Indian Storm Cause Damage Along Texas and Louisiana Coasts—Storm Warnings Displayed—Conditions.

Washington, Sept. 12.—All indications tonight point to the approach towards the Louisiana and Texas coast of the West Indian hurricane, the edge of which was severely felt and caused much damage last Tuesday evening at San Juan, Porto Rico.

Since it was first noted by the weather observers in Porto Rico the progress of the tropical disturbance has been watched closely by the weather experts in Washington, who have kept fully advised all interests along the gulf coast as to the progress of the storm. So meagre, however, have been the reports of the disturbance, owing to it being so far away from the observing stations on land, that only a vague idea has been had of the proportions of the storm.

Returns from observing stations along the gulf coast made at 8 o'clock this evening caused the weather bureau to order storm warnings displayed from Pensacola, Fla., to Point Isabel, Texas. Winds from the East and Northeast range from 20 to 24 miles an hour at all points on the coast from Burrwood, at the mouth of the Mississippi river to Galveston.

The weather sharps announced that the disturbance was centered some distance south of the Louisiana coast, but just where they could not say. Since passing through the Yucatan Channel on Saturday, the storm apparently has taken a more northerly course, as has been the case in previous September storms. Its path seems to be very closely the same as the West Indian disturbances of September 24-27, 1906, and September 16-20, 1909. It is estimated that its progress is about ten miles an hour and a rough approximation of its distance from the gulf coast tonight is about between 100 and 150 miles. At its estimated rate of speed it probably will be felt on the Texas and Louisiana coasts some time Wednesday afternoon or evening. The storm's intensity cannot be even guessed. It may have gained in strength during its course across the Gulf of Mexico, while again it may have dissipated itself considerably.

PROF. R. S. PHIFER DEAD.

Native North Carolinian Suffered Stroke of Paralysis at Danville.

Danville, Va., Sep. 12.—Prof. Robert S. Phifer, a widely known musician and instructor, died at his home here today from a stroke of paralysis. He was born at Charlotte, N. C., in 1852. For five years he studied music in Europe under a number of the world's foremost instructors, and for a long time was connected with Randolph-Macon Institute and Roanoke Female College of this city. The burial will be held here tomorrow under the auspices of the Dove commanderly Knights Templars.

MISS ELKINS NOT TO MARRY.

Duke of The Abruzzi Broke Off Match for Personal Reasons.

Rome, Sept. 12.—The Tribuna, referring today to the semi-official denial that the marriage of the Duke of The Abruzzi and Miss Katherine Elkins had been arranged, declares: "Without fear of contradiction" that the King gave full consent to the marriage, but that the Duke of The Abruzzi himself broke off the match for personal reasons.

TRAIN WRECKED.

Carrying Troops to Maneuvers, Big Four Cars Jump Track.

Louisville, Sept. 12.—A special train carrying the First Regiment to the maneuver grounds near Indianapolis, collided with a passenger train on the Big Four near Indianapolis this morning. Two trainmen were killed, according to reports received here and all the soldiers and passengers shaken up, but none was fatally injured so far as known.

OUTLINES.

The Democrats scored a great victory in Maine Yesterday by electing a Democratic governor and three Congressmen from districts which are ordinarily strongly Republican——Former President Roosevelt and several New York politicians discussed the situation in that State at a conference yesterday, when it was asserted that the colonel's name will be presented for the chairmanship——Ten officials the Swift, Armour, and Morris meat packing concerns were indicted by a Federal grand jury in Chicago yesterday, charging a combination, conspiracy and illegal monopoly——Politicians are urging President Taft to abandon his trip to Panama this Fall, the political situation they declare demanding his presence at home——A West Indian storm of some intensity is said to be approaching the Louisiana coast and warnings have been ordered up——The proprietor of the fashionable Narragansett Club, which was raided several weeks ago, was held for court at a preliminary trial yesterday——New York markets: Money on call easy 1 7-8 per cent, ruling rate and closing bid 1 7-8, offered at 2; spot cotton closed quiet 10 points lower, middling uplands 13.90, middling gulf 14.15; flour steady with a quiet local trade; wheat firm No. 2 red 1.04 elevator and 1.04 1-4 f. o. b. afloat, No. 1 northern Duluth 1.22 3-4 f. o. b.; corn strong No. 2 corn 66 elevator domestic basis to arrive, No. 2, 65 1-2 f. o. b. afloat; oats firm, standard white 38 1-2, No. 2 white 39; rosin steady, turpentine quiet.

SMASH RECORDS IN AVIATION MEET

One World's and Two American Standards Broken at Boston.

ENGLISHMAN'S FINE WORK

Claude Grahame-White Did Marvelous Stunts.—Target Practice From One of the Machines.—Wright and Curtiss. Other Notes.

Boston, Sept. 12.—One world's record and two American records were broken by the flyers at the Harvard-Boston Aero Meet today. Ralph Johnstone, in a Wright biplane, made new marks in accuracy, duration and distance events. An achievement no less marvelous, was a flight of Claude Grahame-White of England, in which he went twice to Boston light and return from the field, a distance of 33 miles, in 34 minutes 1 1-5 seconds, or almost a mile a minute for the entire distance, using a Bleriot monoplane.

Fearing the mark of 40 minutes 1 3-5 seconds he set last week over this course might be bettered, White covered the course again today and finished his remarkable exhibition of speed in front of the grandstand on the aviation field where 65,000 people applauded him.

A feature of slightly less interest was the target shooting from an aeroplane with a regulation service rifle by Lieut. J. E. Fickel, a sharpshooter. The army officer went up with Charles F. Willard, who went round and round the field while the marksman cracked away at targets on the ground. There was a large percentage of hits and from an experimental standpoint the work was considered highly satisfactory and valuable.

Wilbur Wright and Glenn H. Curtiss were again in the air together today and at the same time Charles F. Willard and Claude Grahame-White were circling the course in various events, making four competing aeroplanes to be seen at once. Wright was engaged with Brookins in a bomb dropping contest over the model battleship, and with 37 of his 90 allotted bombs, he made 77 points, which put the Wright camp in the lead in this event, which formerly White felt to be secure with 75 points.

Claude Grahame-White devoted the early part of his flying to taking up passengers, carrying George F. Fuller, of Worcester; A. W. Lambert, of St. Louis, and F. A. Hinchcliffe, of Boston, on several laps about the course.

Johnstone then went up for his duration and distance and accuracy marks, He remained in the air three hours, four minutes, and 44 2-3 seconds, which broke the American record of Clifford B. Harmon, of Ne wYork, by ne hour, 10 minutes and 30 seconds. On the same trip he covered 97 miles, 4,666 feet, which is likewise a new American record, bettering Harmon's mark by some seven miles. Descending from his long journey, Johnstone planted his car almost exactly over the flag in a test for accuracy, his seat being but five feet, four inches from the flag, which made a new world's record for accuracy in landing on skids.

RAID OF NARRAGANSETT CLUB

Proprietor of Fashionable "Gambling Place" Bound Over to Court—Caused Stir Among Society People at the Pier.

Wakefield, R. I., Sept. 12.—Probably guilty of maintaining "a gambling nuisance" and a "gambling place," were the findings of the district court today in the case of William H. Arnold, proprietor of the fashionable Narragansett Club, which was raided on August 6th, when several New York and Philadelphia society people were present. Arnold was held in $1,000 on the first count and $2,000 on the second count for the November term of the grand jury. Bonds were furnished and Arnold was released.

A literary flavor was given the case when Prof. Brander Matthews, of the English department of Columbia University, one of the witnesses for the prosecution, testified that in his opinion the club was a "joint." "A joint" he explained, "is a place where men and women either drunk or sober are steered in to lose their money." Robert F. Bohlen, prominent in Philadelphia society circles, who had been summoned to attend the hearing, did not appear, and the prosecution, conducted by Nathan W. Littlefield, and William M. Ivins, of New York, asked for a writ of arrest which was finally granted. The papers have not yet been served.

When the cases growing out of the raid by Constable John G. Criss came up Criss took the stand and told the story of the raid. He designated the lavishly furnished club room as "a gambling house." He told of remaining in the place from midnight August 6th until 9 A. M. the next day in order to make the raid. When he appeared about 30 persons, half of whom were women, were in the place, he said. The constable testified that he demanded names, but all gave fictitious names. He testified that he saw three roulette wheels, a faro "lay out" and a lot of chips. At the same time a so-called "game of hazard" declared by the witness to be a "fashionable game for craps" was going on. Mr. Criss produced in court a lot of poker chips, score cards, roulette balls and other gambling paraphernalia, which he said he seized in the club rooms.

Constable Criss said that efforts had been made to induce him to cease the prosecution of the cases.

Baltimore, Sept. 12.—The fifteenth biennial session of the Grand United Order of Colored Odd Fellows began here today with delegates representing nearly every State in attendance. Governor Crothers and Mayor Mahool welcomed the visitors in addresses preceding the opening meeting.

ROOSEVELT PLANS TO FIGHT BOSSES

New York State Situation Discussed at Oyster Bay Conference.

THE CHAIRMANSHIP THEIR AIM

Griscom Certain That Colonel's Name Will be Presented at Convention—Those in the Sagamore Hill Party.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Theodore Roosevelt meant what he said when he announced that on his return from his Western trip that he was going home "to fight the bosses."

"Mr. Roosevelt's name will certainly be presented to the Republican State convention," said Lloyd C. Griscom, president of the New York county Republican committee tonight, after a conference at Sagamore Hill, during which the political situation in this State was discussed in all its aspects by Col. Roosevelt and the leaders of the progressive movement within the party. "Moreover," he added, "we can count on a majority of the delegates."

In conference with Mr. Griscom and Mr. Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill were Representative Herbert Parsons, a close friend of the ex-President, and Mr. Griscom's own predecessor, Representative William M. Calder, of Brooklyn; Comptroller William A. Pendergast, of New York City; F. J. H. Kracke, naval officer of the port, and Postmaster E. W. Voorhis, of Brooklyn.

Mr. Griscom admitted that the subject of candidates for Governor had been discussed, but no one name, he said, had been considered to the exclusion of others, as, before the choice could be made, the preference of State leaders from every section must be learned. Although he did not say so, it is known that Mr. Prendergast's name was among those discussed. The comptroller was asked if he was a candidate and laughingly replied that he was not.

"Could anything happen between now and September 27th to change your mind?" he was asked.

"I don't know," he answered guardedly.

Mr. Griscom was emphatic on one point.

"President Taft and Col. Roosevelt,' said he, "are in perfect accord."

All that Mr. Roosevelt would say was: "These gentlemen came to discuss the State situation. They report satisfactory progress." He was told of the Democratic victory in Maine, but had nothing to say.

Mr. Griscom had received no intimation, he said, that the name of Vice President Sherman would be withdrawn as a candidate for temporary chairman of the State convention. The name of Col. Roosevelt would be presented notwithstanding.

TAFT URGED TO ABANDON TRIP

Politicians Tell President Situation Requires His Presensce at Home—Trip to Panama Will Probably be Given Up.

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 12.—The trip to Panama which President Taft had planned to take in November to inspect the work that has been done on the isthmian canal may be given up. It is understood that several of the Republican leaders have endeavored to convince the President that the political situation at home required his presence in this country.

Next Sunday Mr. Taft will leave Beverly for two weeks' visiting at his home city, Cincinnati, returning by way of Washington where he will preside at the first cabinet meeting of the season. At New Haven next Monday forenoon he will attend a meeting of the Yale University Corporation. Resuming his journey Monday afternoon he will proceed to Cincinnati, arriving there on Tuesday. While in Cincinnati he will stay at the home of his brother, Charles P. Taft.

Although personal business is assigned as the reason for the President's trip to Cincinnati, it is understood that while in his home State the President will confer with several of the Ohio Republican leaders. He will remain in Cincinnati until Saturday, September 24, when he leaves for Washington, arriving at the Capitol Sunday morning. The first meeting of the cabinet will be held the following day.

Leaving Washington September 30th, the President will go to New York where October 10th he will address the National League of Republican Clubs. From New York the President will come direct to Beverly to remain until the middle of October.

It was learned today that the visit last Friday of the Panaman Minister, C. C. Arosemena, was to confer with President Taft regarding the situation on the Isthmus over the impending elections. President Taft gave the minister to understand that the United States would not interfere in any way in the political situation in Panama.

The President attended the funeral in Boston this afternoon of Solicitor General Lloyd W. Bowers, returning home shortly afterwards.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the President pressed a button at his cottage which gave the signal for the opening of the Appalachian Exposition at Knoxville, Tenn. John M. Mott, a leader in Young Men's Christian work, saw the President and obtained his promise to speak at a meeting in Washington in behalf of the world-wide extension work of the association.

A representative of a New London, Conn., Wrecking Company discussed with the President a plan for raising the battleship Maine.

Edgar R. Lovette, President of the William M. Rice College of Houston, Texas, called to ask the President to lay the cornerstone of the university next November. The President, owing to important business, had to decline the request.

S. C. PRIMARY.

Second Race Takes Place Today—Lines Drawn.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 12.—South Carolina Democrats on tomorrow will make their final choice for governor, adjutant general, railroad commissioner and Congressmen in two districts. The vote constitutes the second primary, made necessary when there are more than two candidates for one office and no one of them receiving a majority.

Chief interest in this second primary, naturally centers in the contest for Governor, between C. C. Featherstone entered the campaign as the champion of the state-wide prohibitionists, while Mr. Blease ran on a local option platform. Since T. G. McLeod, another local option candidate, was eliminated at the first primary, it has been maintained by leading newspapers of the local option persuasion that the issue is no longer one of measures, but a question of personal fitness as between Mr. Featherstone and Mr. Blease. Supporting this view several of the prohibition leaders of the State have come out with admissions that the State wide prohibition cause was practically defeated at the first primary.

Since the first primary the campaign has been bitterly contested with adherents of both candidates working hard. The press of the State, with a single exception is supporting Mr. Featherstone and attacking Mr. Blease, predictions on the outcome are futile.

For adjutant general W. W. Moore, of Barnwell, and J. M. Richardson are in the second race while James Cansler and G. McDuffie Hampton, of Columbia are in the fight for railroad commissioner.

In two Congressional districts—the second and the sixth—there are second races. In the second district J. O. Patterson, incumbent, of Barnwell, and J. F. Byrnes, of Aiken, are in the second race. In the sixth district J. E. Ellerbe, incumbent, and P. A. Hodges are the contestants.

Boston, Sept. 12.—President Taft arrived at the Hotel Touraine in this city at 10:45 A. M. The President came here to attend the funeral services of the late Solicitor General L. W. Bowers. He will return to Beverly immediately after the services.

DEMOCRATS SCORE VICTORY IN MAINE

Former Republican Strongholds Returned Democratic Candidates.

MAY MEAN DEFEAT FOR HALE

Sudden Changes in All Parts of the State Resulted in Yesterday's Election—Plaisted Has Decisive Plurality.

Portland, Me., Sept. 12.—There was no uncertainty in the voice with which Maine today recorded her preference for Governor and her attitude on the issues of the campaign generally, the plurality given to Frederick M. Plaisted, of Augusta, being decisively large, while three of the four Congressional districts, which are ordinarily strongly Republican, returned Democratic candidates.

Early returns also indicated that the Legislature might be Democratic and elect a Democrat as a successor to United State Senator Hale.

In the face of the sweeping Democratic victory, the Republican leaders were overwhelmed with surprise and the magnitude of their successes astonished even the most sanguine of Democrats. It was the first beating the Republicans of Maine, the State of Blaine and Reed, had had in 30 years, and by a coincidence Morris M. Plaisted, father of the present successful candidate, was Maine's last Democratic Governor in the year 1881.

Asher C. Hinds, of Portland, parliamentary clerk of the House of Representatives, was defeated for Congress in the first district, while Congressman Burleigh in the third district, and Congressman Swasey in the second also went down to defeat.

Col. Plaisted, the Governor-elect goes up to the capitol with a plurality larger than that given two years ago to his defeated Republican opponent, Governor Bert M. Fernald, of Portland.

Col. Plaisted was born in Bangor in 1864. He ran for Mayor of Augusta five times and won four elections.

The Republican leaders as a whole were at a loss tonight to account for their overwhelming defeat. The weather was perfect. The issues were well understood and most of the speakers had confined themselves to State matters, scarcely mentioning National affairs.

Governor Fernald's administration was stoutly defended against Democratic criticism of extravagance.

Close political observers, however, early heard mutterings, not loud, but deep. The so-called "old guard" had to stand a lot of party criticism and even the leaders were out of harmony with a new element which had begun to manifest itself, especially in the western part of the State. It was hoped among the backers of the administration of Governor Fernald that this unrest would subside and much dependence was placed on the old time loyalty of the farming vote in the back counties.

But insurgency was in the air. The rural voter had been absorbing ideas out of the State as well as in it, and this was particularly manifested in the third district where Congressman Burleigh with an 18-year record at Washington, found himself tonight defeated by his old-time opponent, Samuel W. Gould, of Showhegan.

The victory of Daniel J. McGillicuddy, of Lewiston, in the second district, was not so surprising as Congressman John P. Swasey, of Canton, narrowly missed defeat in his first election two years ago.

McGillicuddy served two terms as Mayor of Lewiston and has been prominent in party affairs for many years. He was chairman of the last State convention and delivered the battle cry of extravagance, which proved one of the most effective in the campaign.

In the first district Asher C. Hinds, whose talents as a parliamentarian were discovered years ago by Thomas Reid, who has sat behind half a dozen Speakers, including Joseph G. Cannon, was given a hard fight by former Sheriff William M. Pennell, and late tonight the latter's election was also conceded by Mr. Boyd, the Republican State chairman.

That insurgency has spread as far as the fourth district and up into Aroostook county where Congressman Frank E. Guernsey, of Dover, was opposed by George M. Hanson, of Calais, was also disclosed by the early returns, and the result late tonight was in doubt.

The election passed off without any unfortunate incident, in fact it was one of the quietest in years. The vote was about an average one for an off year and the total will run to about 140,000.

Governor Bert M. Fernald, of Poland, said tonight: "I have no doubt from the returns at hand that Mr. Plaisted has been elected by from three thousand to five thousand. I don't understand why the vote should take such a sudden change in all parts of the State."

Later Returns.

Portland, Me., Sept. 12.—Maine went Democratic today. It elected Frederick W. Plaisted, of Augusta, a Democrat, as Governor; upset the hitherto solid Republican Congressional delegation in at least two and possibly all four of the districts, and to the surprise of the political leaders, Demo-

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BIG POPULARITY CONTEST SUCCESSFULLY LAUNCHED

Inaugurated Yesterday and to Continue For Eight Weeks-Young Women, Married or Single, Entitled to Compete for Handsome Prizes-Extra Premiums For Boys-Now's the Time to Get Busy-Explanation of Votes and Coupons.

While there has been considerable interest aroused in the Morning Star's great subscription contest which was inaugurated yesterday morning, there is no doubt but that when the names are announced of the different young ladies and young gentlemen who have been nominated to compete for these prizes, the excitement will grow to fever heat, owing to the generous prize list and the subdivision of districts in order that all may have a fair and equal chance.

Names to be Announced.

Just a few more days before the announcement of names will appear, and each contestant who has already entered, or who is thinking of entering, should be gathering up the votes so as to make a good start in the first announcement.

Receipt Books Available.

Receipt books may be had for the asking at the contest department of the Star, which is situated directly across the street from the Star office on Princess street; also slips fully explaining the contest. These circulars assist the contestants a great deal if given among their friends. The receipt books enable them to give each subscriber a receipt for the money paid, thereby causing no misunderstanding.

As soon as a young lady enters the contest, she is entitled to the Morning Star free of charge during the contest. If any of those already entered are not receiving the same, notify the contest department, and same will be attended to at once.

Explaining Articles.

The daily write-ups that appear in the contest columns of the Daily Star should be read carefully by every contestant, and also by every one interested in any contestant in the great race, as this series of articles not only describe the many premiums that are offered, but also answers the questions that are asked by different contestants, both mail and in person.

Inquiries Made.

For instance, in yesterday's mail there were several inquiries in regard to whether a young lady could secure subscriptions outside of her district, wherein she is working as a contestant. In answering this, the contest department states that subscribers can be secured from anywhere. If any contestant in district one wants to work in district No. 5, they have that opportunity; at the same time if a contestant in No. 5 wishes to work in district No. 2, she also is allowed that privilege.

Subscriptions Outside of District.

If any contestant has friends in New York, San Francisco, Chicago, or any other city, they may write a letter stating that they are in the contest, and if they care to subscribe the contestant will secure the same number of votes as if he or she had secured the subscriber in their own immediate territory. The price of the paper has not increased in any way, and a contestant can assure each subscriber that their paper could be sent to the Philippine Islands, Mexico and Alaska for the same amount of money as it is right here in the city of Wilmington.

How Votes Are Secured.

A coupon for five votes will appear for a few weeks, after which it will probably call for one vote. These coupons are good for votes, and a contestant may gather just as many of these are it is possible for them to secure. These coupons in order to be counted do not have to be accompanied with a subscription, but each one, if sent to the contest department of the Morning Star with a young lady's name filled in before the date on has expired, will count to a contestant's credit toward one of these handsome premiums.

Securing Votes.

Another way to gather votes is to secure subscriptions to the Morning Star. Votes will be allowed on new subscriptions, also renewals, and arrearage payments when paid in advance. Now is the time to get busy. Delays are dangerous and half the battle is an early start. Inquire of the contest department in person or by 'phone to No. 190.

Base Ball

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn, Sept. 12.—Moore struck out 13 Brooklyn players today and scored a 3 to 0 shut-out for Philadelphia. The game was schedulel for October 15, but was advanced in order to shorten the season. Magee's batting and Stark's fielding were features. Brooklyn plays Cincinnati a postponed game tomorrow.

Philadelphia ....020 100 000—3 9 0
Brooklyn .....000 000 000—0 6 0

Moore and Dooin; Bell, Burke and Bergen; time 1:47; umpires Klem and Kane.

Pittsburg, Sept. 13.—Not a Pittsburg player reached third base in today's game, which Cincinnati won by 5 to 0. It was the last appearance of the Cincinnati team in Pittsburg this season.

Cincinnati .....010 011 010—4 6 0
Pittsburg .....000 000 000—0 6 2

Beebe and Clarke; White, Maddox and Gibson; time 1:40; umpires Johnstone and Eason.

No other games scheduled.

Sunday Games.

At Cincinnati 6; St. Louis 8.
At Chicago 5; Pittsburg 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Detroit, Sept. 12.—Detroit defeated Cleveland today 5 to 1 by bunching hits off DeMott in the fourth and seventh innings. Lajoie failed to get a hit, being robbed of his only chance by Bush's great stop and throw. The victory put Detroit in third place.

Cleveland .....100 000 000—1 10 2
Detroit .....000 200 30x—5 5 0

Willett and Schmidt; DeMott and Land; time 1:27; umpire Evans.

Boston, Sept. 12.—Boston won both games of a doubleheader from New York today, the first 4 to 0, and the second 6 to 5 in 10 innings. The double victory allowed Boston to replace the visitors in second place in the league standing.

New York .....000 000 000—0 3 1
Boston .....001 300 00x—4 9 1

Vaughn and Criger; Collins and Kleinow; time 1:54; umpires Perrine and Dineen.

New York .....001 001 0300—5 10 1
Boston .....100 004 0001—6 10 2

Fisher and Sweeney; Karger, Wood and Kleinow; time 2:11; umpires Dineen and Perrine.

Philadelphia, Sept. 12.—Washington was shut out by Philadelphia today by 6 to 0. Coombs held his opponents to four hits and only one of them reached third base.

Washington ....000 000 000—0 4 3
Philadelphia ....003 101 10x—6 9 1

Reisling and Ainsmith; Coombs and Lapp; time 1:45; umpires Colliflower and O'Loughlin.

Sunday Games.

At Chicago 0; Detroit 2.
At St. Louis 0; Cleveland 3.
2nd: St. Louis 5; Cleveland 7.

MINOR LEAGUES.

Southern League.

At Nashville 2; Birmingham 0.
2nd: Birmingham 2; Nashville 3.
At Chattanooga 3; Mobile 0.
2nd: Mobile 0; Chattanooga 0; (called end 8th, darkness.)
At Atlanta 7; Montgomery 1.
At Memphis 2; New Orleans 1.

Sunday Games.

At New Orleans 1; Atlanta 0.
At Memphis 4; Montgomery 6.

APPALACHIAN EXPOSITION.

Opened Yesterday in Blaze of Glory at Knoxville, Tenn.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 12.—The Appalachian Exposition, in the preparation of which Knoxville and the entire Southern Appalachian region has been engaged for the past eleven months, was formally opened today. The exposition is complete in every particular, thus providing an exception among American expositions. The ceremonies of today have been brilliant in the extreme, including a magnificent street pageant this morning, the formal opening exericses at the exposition grounds when addresses were made by Governor M. R. Patterson, Mayor S. G. Heiskell and President William J. Oliver of the exposition company. The exercises, attended by several thousand people, were brief but impressive. No extended speeches were made. President Oliver introduced Mayor Keiskell, who welcomed the governor and exposition visitors to the city. Governor Patterson formally welcomed the visitors on behalf of the State. He spoke of the great natural wealth of the Southern Appalachian region and of the vast possibilities of further development that will be accelerated as a result of the exposition. President Oliver briefly reviewed the history of the exposition movement and told of how it had been conceived for the common uplift of the industrial and commercial South and for fostering the movement to conserve the forest and streams of the mountain regions of Tennessee, North and South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Georgia, Alabama and Kentucky. He was especially gratified that the exposition had been able to open complete in all its details, every exhibit being in place and every building and other improvement finished. Also that the exposition begins without owing a dollar, there being no mortgages upon its gate receipts, but money in bank to its credit.

This, President Oliver said, argued for the success of the enterprise.

CURRENCY ASSOCIATIONS.

Recently Formed in West and South—MacVeagh's Action.

Washington, Sept. 12.—Secretary MacVeagh's liberal interpretation of the Aldrich-Vreeland emergency currency act has had the effect of hastening the formation of emergency currency associations in the South as well as the West.

Bankers of Atlanta have already formed an association. Now Savannah bankers are making the preliminary moves. Capt. F. F. Bloodworth is leading the movement there.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Athletics	89	39	.695
Boston	76	54	.585
New York	74	56	.569
Detroit	74	56	.569
Washington	58	73	.443
Cleveland	56	73	.434
Chicago	50	88	.362
St. Louis	41	89	.315

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	84	38	.689
Pittsburg	73	51	.589
New York	72	51	.585
Philadelphia	65	63	.508
Cincinnati	63	65	.492
St. Louis	51	73	.411
Brooklyn	49	77	.389
Boston	45	84	.349

GOLFERS AT BROOKLINE.

Unable to Fnish Events on Account of Darkness—The Players.

Brookline, Mass., Sept. 12.—Warren K. Wood, of Homewood, one of the coterie of Western golfers was leading the field when darkness tonight put a stop to the qualifying round of the National Amateur Golf Championship at the Country Club after 176 cards had been passed in complete. Twenty-four other golfers were unable to finish before darkness came and must pick up their game tomorrow where they left off. Wood negotiated the course in 40 and 35 for a 75, one stroke lower than Walter J. Travis, the Garden City expert, and former American amateur champion.

W. C. Fownes, Jr., of Oakmont, and E. M. Byers, of Alleghany, were tied at 77, while at 78 were P. W. Whittemore, of the home club, Fred Herreshoff, of Ekwanok, E. M. Wild, of Crawford and E. M. Reid, of St. Andrews. The remaining players to finish better than 80 included H. H. Wilder of the Vesper Club, of Lowell, G. C. Waldo, Jr., of Brooklawn, and oRdney W. Brown, of Meadowbrook at 79.

Robert A. Gardner, of Hinsdale, the present title holder, was among those who did not finish. He was out in 42 and scored 29 for the first tix holes of the second round, leaving him to get a three, four and five for an 83 score that probably will qualify him for match play.

As the score stood tonight thirteen players were tied at 87 for the last seven places in the quilafying round, but there undoubtedly will be some changes when the entire field has completed the round.

Among today's scores were F. Knowles, Pensacola, Fla., 83, and H. N. Byrd, Atlanta, 93.

BANK SUPERVISORS.

Meet in Washington and Discuss Conditions in General.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The national association of Supervisors of State Banks began a three days convention today. The examiners were addressed by Lawrence O. Murray, comptroller of the currency.

Mr. Murray proposed to the State supervisors a working co-operation with the national examiners. He declared he had in his office a list of men who, as officers of national banks had proved incompetent and had been removed from office, and said that if any of them should make application to organize State banks their names would be furnished to the State banking authorities. In turn he proposed that the State supervisors should furnish to the national system the names of men who had been driven out of the State banks.

During the last eighteen months, the comptroller said, he had refused one hundred and eight applications to form national banks, because the men behind them had been found incompetent or dishonest; that there was not enough business to make the proposed institutions profitable or that the applicants were speculators or men without standing in their communities.

Weak banks and failures, said Mr. Murray, almost always come from banks which should never have been chartered. The practice of concealing the liabilities was growing fast, he said, and he described a system which he believed was quite general, and which he intended to investigate.

PROSECUTOR KIDNAPPED.

Taken From Sanitarium and Whisked Away in Automobile.

Columbus, O., Sept. 12.—County Prosecutor Philip Smythe, of Newark, Ohio, who has been in the Shepherd Sanitarium for some time was kidnapped today by unknown parties who drove up to the sanitarium in an automobile. They asked for Mr. Smythe and Dr. McMillan, in charge of the sanitarium, says he consented to allow Smythe to see them. Two attendants followed Smythe and when he got into the vehicle, McMillen says that the men seized Smythe and drawing revolvers flourished them at the frightened attendants when they protested. Officers are hunting for them.

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WRECK ON ELLEN N.

Engineer and Fireman Killed Near Knoxville Sunday Night.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 12.—A fatal accident occurred to Louisville & Nashville passenger train No. 34, leaving here at 11 o'clock last night, in which Engineer J. D. Sudbury and Fireman John F. Branch, both of this city, were instantly killed. The accident was at Pocono, about one and one half miles north of Williamsburg, Ky. The locomotive turned over to the right and Engineer Sudbury was crushed to death and Fireman Branch was scalded so severely that his injuries proved fatal. The track was blocked about three hours.

Supt. R. L. Morrison of the Knoxville division, stated this morning that the accident was due to a broken tug on a tie rod, allowing the point of a switch to open sufficiently to admit the wheels of the tender to enter the switch. The locomotive kept the main track, but the tender and the first truck of the first car in the train took the side track. This overturned the engine. No other person on the train was injured.

WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.

Travelers Aid Society Joins In Fight Against Evil.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 12.—Great interest is being taken throughout the country in the progress shown in the work undertaken by the ladies of the Travelers' Aid Society, especially aimed at the suppression of the white slave traffic as well as the general welfare and comfort of members of their sex traveling without escorts. Jackson, Miss., reports the appointment of two estimable ladies of that city as matrons in charge of the union depot, whose primary object it will be to look to the protection of school and college girls who are forced to journey alone. It is expected that most junction and terminal cities of the South which have not already done so, will soon adopt similar measures making for safe and pleasant travel for unaccompanied women and girls.

BLEWITT FALLS PROPERTY.

Will be Sold at Auction in October—The Development.

Wadesboro, N. C., Sept. 12.—Announcement is made today that the Blewitt Falls property will be sold at auction in New York City October 5th, including all real estate and personal property of the corporation. This is the site of the proposed hydro-electric power development started three years ago on the Pee Dee river by the Rockingham Power Company. Two million dollars have already been expended on the plant, which is to develop 30,000 horse power. The property became involved in litigation a year ago and went into receivers' hands.

It was later sold and purchased for the Boyd holders. It is now to be resold for the purpose of getting the property in shape for the completion of the enterprise.

FATAL AUTO ACCIDENT.

Brakes Failed to Work and Occupants Were Thrown Out.

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 12.—Failure of the brakes to work in turning a sharp curve at a high rate of speed this afternoon near Concord, caused a big Maxwell car carrying five people to upset. A. L. Klutz, a Greensboro druggist, was probably fatally injured, and Miss Bessie Rankin, of Greensboro, his fiancee, was seriously hurt. Mr. and Mrs. C. Guy Ferguson, of Greensboro, and the former's brother, John W. Ferguson, of Charlotte, were more or less injured. A passing Southern train was halted and Klutz taken to a Salisbury hospital, while the others were carried on to Greensboro.

THREE PERSONS KILLED.

In Wreck of Passenger Train Occurred at Lemoyne, Ohio.

Toledo, Ohio, Sept. 12.—George Milburn, engineer; L. C. Engler, road foreman of engines, and J. G. Devilbiss, superintendent of motive power, all of the Hocking Valley Railroad, were killed in the wreck of passenger train No. 33, northbound on that road, near Lemoyne, about 11 miles south of Toledo at 11:55 this forenoon. Nearly a dozen people were injured. The entire train was derailed and turned upside down in the ditch. The wreck was caused by a broken rail. A relief train brought the injured to this city. All the injured will recover, is is believed.

Iredell Meares will be both instructive and entertaining at Court House tonight at 8 o'clock.

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AN ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Brought to Fayetteville From Linden. Mrs. L. Shaw Wead.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 12.—Geo. Parker, white, attempted suicide at midnight last night at Linden, a railway station several miles north of Fayetteville. He had recently shown signs of insanity and his physician had a watch placed over him. Last night while the watchers were in an adjoining room to Parker and his wife, Parker shot himself with a breech loader by placing the barrel under his chin and pulling the trigger with his toe. The shot tore away his chin but went no farther. He was brought to the Highsmith hospital today by Dr. Melvin. Physicians say the wound is not apt to be fatal, and that in case of recovery the shock may be the means of restoring his reason.

Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Shaw, wife of Mr. L. Shaw, a prominent and wealthy citizen of St. Paul, Robeson county, died in the Highsmith hospital here today after a protracted illness, aged 61 years. The remains were taken to St. Paul this afternoon where the funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was for many years a faithful member. Mrs. Shaw is survived by her husband, and an adopted daughter.

POLITICS IN ROBESON.

Mr. Meares Speaks.—Mass Meeting Called.—Court in Session.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., Sept. 12.—Robeson Superior Court convened here today, Judge O. H. Allen presiding and Solicitor Sinclair representing the State. While the crowd in attendance was large, it was not nearly so large as sometimes.

When court adjourned for dinner Mr. Iredell Meares, Republican candidate for Congress in this district, addressed a fair-sized audience in the Court House and seemed to make a good impression.

The Robesonian this afternoon contains the following call: "All Democrats of Robeson county who believe in good government, purity in the home and in the politics of the county, moral and sober men in office, and, a higher standard of civic righteousness are respectfully requested to meet in public mass meeting at the Court House in Lumberton on Wednesday, the 14th day of September, at the adjournment of court for the noon recess.

The call is signed by a very large number of the very best citizens in all sections of the county.

BELIEVED TO BE LEPER.

Greek Who Broke Quarantine Arrested in New York Yesterday.

New York, Sept. 12.—A man believed to be John Kekas, the Greek leper of Salt Lake City, who broke quarantine there, evaded interception in Chicago and escaped Eastward, was arrested here today as he was about to buy a ticket for Greece.

The man gave his name as Peter Coropulas, of Salt Lake City, 30 years old and denied vigorously that he was a leper. He was taken to a city hospital to be held for examination by Dr. L. Norman Bulkley, a specialist in skin diseases.

The man's appearance was hideous, and in a preliminary examination the hospital authorities said they believed he was a leper.

"I know I'm not a leper," said the man, "but I don't know what is the matter with me, and none of the doctors I have asked in the year and a half I have worked in the West have been able to tell me."

CRIPPEN TRIAL RESUMED.

Inquiry Into the Death of Dentist's Wife.—Newton Asks Questions.

London, Sept. 12.—The inquest into the death of Cora Belle Crippen was resumed today, but little that had not been already recited in the Bow Street murder trial, was brought out. Mrs. Adeline Harrison amplified her court testimony concerning the operation which had been performed upon Mrs Crippen and described the purpose of the surgery.

Neither Dr. Hawley H. Crippen nor Ethel Clara Leneve, who are charged with the murder of the doctor's wife, were present at today's procedings.

Solicitor Arthur Newton, who has undertaken the defense for both Crippen and Miss Leneve, asked a few questions of the mortuary keeper, suggesting that the body in question might have been confused with two others upon which post mortems had been made at the same time. The inquest was adjourned to September 19th.

FEUDIST FINALLY CAUGHT.

Secured Murderer at Point of Several Revolvers.

Bluefield, W. Va., Sept. 12.—William Blankenship, a feudist, for whom the authorities have been searching to answer a charge of murder, was captured 100 miles west of Bluefields yesterday and lodged in jail at Williamson. Posses rounded up Blankenship at the home of his father, Dave Blankenship. The fugitive, who had been cared for in hiding by members of his family, was surrendered only at the point of several revolvers.

NATIONAL PRINTERS' LEAGUE.

Washington Dfeated Philadelphia 9 to 6.—Opening Game.

Washington, Sept. 12.—In the opening game of the third annual National Printers' League at the American League park here this afternoon Washington defeated Philadelphia 9 to 6. Other cities to contest are Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati, Denver, Indianapolis, New York, at least two games a day being played until the Typographical base ball championship is decided.

Buena Vista, Va., Sept. 12.—The tenth Congressional district Republican convention met here today on motion of S. Brown Allen the convention deciding it wa snot advisable to make a nomination for Congress from this district.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 12.—W. M. Vanwater, of Henrico County, was nominated today by the third district Republican convention to oppose Capt. John Lamb, Democrat, for his seat in Congress.

DENIAL ABOUT CAVALIERI.

Brother of Noted Singer Says Reports of Divorce Are Untrue.

New York, Sept. 12.—Oreste Cavalieri, brother to Lina Cavalieri, the prima donna whose affairs have been so much in the papers since she recently married Robert Winthrop Chanler, gave out the following statement here tonight:

"The recent newspaper reports concerning the affairs of my sister, Mrs. Chanler (nee Mlle. Cavalieri) and her husband, Robert W. Chanler, seem to have been designed to place my sister in a wholly false light before the public.

"Before his marriage Mr. Chanler wished to make some provision for my sister and made the usual marriage settlement, by which she was given an income for her support, and certain parcels of real estate. The equities in these properties are very small, and their value, by reason of encumbrances is problematical. The income provided for my sister is in the same position, and it is doubtful what, if any moneys, will be available for her use. If any income is paid it will be required to pay necessary expenses in caring for the real estate.

"The marriage settlement was prepared by Mr. Chanler's lawyers in Paris and in the usual way witnessed by the American consul there, and given to my sister by Mr. Chanler.

"The sensational stories which have been given so much prominence of late are untrue, and I wish to emphatically deny them. My sister is recovering from a severe illness, which has compelled her to remain in France, and Mr. Chanler, because of his business engagements has been obliged to come to this country to attend to them. When my sister is able to travel she will join him in this country. The entire story is nothing more than an attempt to make a sensational story out of an every-day and commonplace occurrence which concerns no one but Mrs. Chanler and her husband."

Sidney Harris, counsel for Mr. Chanler, who gave out another statement earlier in the day, was reticent, but not so optimistic. "Mr. Chanler still loves Mme Cavalieri—that is, he thinks he does," said the lawyer. "Aside from this financial difference, they are on good terms."

NASH COUNTY AFFAIRS.

Picnic at Nashville—Big Crowd Expected Saturday—Republicans.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Nashville, N. C., Sept. 12.—The first picnic of the year by the Farmers' Co-operative and Educational Union of Nash county was given last Friday under the auspices of the local union at the Dean's school house in Cooper's township. There was present an immense crowd of people. Dr. H. G. Alexander, president of the State Union, could not be present on account of the illness of his wife. County Superintendent of Schools Robert E. Ranson, at the request of the local president, Mr. J. J. Joyner, stated the objects of the gathering and introduced the speaker of the day, Mr. T. Ivey, of Cary, Wake county. Mr. Ivey made a good speech.

Nashville is expecting the record breaking crowd of the year Saturday, when Governor Kitchin and Congressman E. W. Pou will be here. The speaking will be at 1:30 Saturday afternoon. A brass band and a big parade will be a feature.

Visitors from Spring Hope say that the race in that town for the postmastership is a warm one, between Col. J. C. Matthews, chairman of the Republican county executive committee, and Col. W. S. Bailey, chairman of the late county Republican convention. Matthews is now in charge having been appointed by the bondsmen of the late Mack Brantley to take charge. Bailey was a Morehead man and Matthews a Duncan man during the "late unpleasantness" among the Republicans. They have, it is said, about an equal amount of endorsement.

COLORED ODD FELLOWS MEET.

Grand United Lodge Assembled in Baltimore—Several Addresses.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 12.—The 15th biennial session of the Grand United Order of Colored Odd Fellows began here today with delegates present representing nearly all States. Welcoming addresses were made by Governor Crothers and Mayor Mahoot.

In his address to the delegates Grand Master William L. Houston referred to legislation in Georgia prohibiting persons, societies or organizations from using the name, style or emblem of fraternal and other organizations previously existing. "The real object and result of the law," he declared, "is to destroy fraternal and benevolent societies controlled by men of color, when such societies use the name or emblems employed by a society whose membership is composed of white persons. In February, 1910, a similar bill was introduced in the Mississippi Legislature. You will no doubt be surprised to learn that almost the identical bill was enacted into a law by the Legislature of the State of Michigan during the session of that body that year."

The grand master called on the members to be prepared to defend their title and preserve their rights by all lawful means; to contend, if need be, until the United States Supreme Court passes upon their claim to be known as Odd Fellows and to enjoy all the benefits and privileges of the grand United Order of Odd Fellows conferred upon them by their brethren in England 67 years ago.

"SUICIDE QUEEN" FAILS.

Mrs. Carolina Simms Makes Fourteenth Attempt to Kill Herself.

New Orleans, Sept. 12.—Mrs. Carolina Simms, whose many attempts at self destruction during the last two years have gained for her the soubriquet of the "suicide queen," made another effort to kill herself at her Villere street home today. She took a dozen of sugar of lead, but the Charity Hospital ambulance surgeons pumped it out in time to save her life.

Her friends assert that this is her fourteenth attempt at suicide, but only seven such instances are on record in the police department. Mrs. Simms has never tried the same method twice.

Mrs. Simms, who is a young widow, attributes her unhappiness to disappointment in love.

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CARDINAL GIBBONS SPEAKER.

Delivered Address at Eucharistic Congress.—Religious Pageant.

Montreal, Sept. 12.—A religious pageant as rich in devotional emotion as in sacred imagery and as orderly in behavior as it was diverse in nationality and huge in size closed today the twenty-first International Eucharistic Congress, held this year for the first time in Canada.

Visitors from the United States were especially impressed with the magnitude, splendor, and reverence of the procession, which marched 4 miles through the city streets, the Host at its head, to Mount Royal, above the city. A modest estimate is that there were 100,000 in line and that 500,000 viewed it from where best they could. The city is so crowded tonight that 200,000 are sleeping on the slopes of Mount Royal, in Dominion square, and in other city parks.

It took the procession four and one-half hours to pass city hall, and though it began to move at noon from Notre Dame Cathedral, it was 7 o'clock when the papal legate, Cardinal Vincent Vannutelli, placed the Host, housed in a golden monstrance, on the altar of the repository built for it at the foot of the mountain.

Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, in an address today to the Eucharistic Congress delegates, said, in part:

"The Jews lived under the law of fear. They were governed by fear; they were restrained from vice more by the fear of punishment than by the hope of reward. You may search the Old Testament, from Genesis to Maccabaeus, and you will very rarely find the Hebrew people presuming to call God their Father. They addressed Him as their Lord and Master, their king, their ruler, their judge, and avenger.

"'Not so you,' says St. Paul, addressing the Christians of his time. 'You have not received the spirit of bondage again in fear, but you have received the spirit of adoption of sons whereby we cry, Abba, Father.'

"My dear lord cardinal legate, two years ago, almost to the very day, it was my good fortune to take a part with your eminence in the celebration of the eucharistic congress in London. And now it is also my distinguished privilege to participate with you in this great congress of Montreal. Your eminence will agree with me that this city well deserves the name of Montreal, the King's mount; for has it not been dedicated this week, with all possible splendor, to the King of ages who dwelleth on high."

SUIT AGAINST GROCERS.

Action Against Southern Association Begun at Birmingham.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 12.—The suit of Hunton G. Clabaugh against the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association and a number of its individual members for $150,000 damages began in the Federal court here today. Clabaugh was formerly in the wholesale grocery business in this city and charges that he was put out of business because he refused to join the association which, through its influence, its manufacturers prevented him from buyng goods. The case promises to be unusually hard fought.

Attorneys and stenographers from the Department of Justice are taking the evidence which it is proposed to use in the government dissolution suit now pending against the association.

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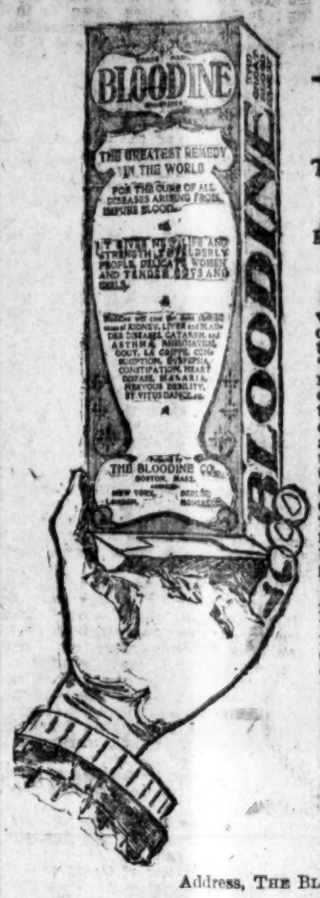

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48	42-86	48-80	a via Petersburg. *Daily	89-49	83-41	42
*8:40am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 50pm	6 40am	2 50pm
12:36pm	11:05pm	12:36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12:58pm	5:05am	12:58am
.....	2:15pm	4:55pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11:30am	3:25am	.....
.....	4:00pm	7:05pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9:15am	1:40am	.....
3:20pm	a8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	.....	a8:00pm	*8:15am
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8:15am	1:00am	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4:20am	9:40pm	.....
.....	9:52am	1:15am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11:53am	3:40am	Ar. ....West Philadelphia.... Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2:15pm	6:30am	Ar. ..... NEW YORK ..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

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55-89	51-83	*Daily	82-50	80-54	
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm	.....
7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am	.....
11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	6:50pm	5:20am	.....
2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1:20pm	12:15am	.....
11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 20am	1 55pm	.....
9:40am	1:45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 35am	2 05pm	.....
6 50pm	8 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
7:15am	.....	Ar. ..... JACKSONVILLE ..... Lv.	9:15am	7:55pm	.....
2:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Sanford, Fla. ..... Lv.	2 30am	2 55pm	.....
7:00pm	.....	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
8:55pm	.....	Ar. ST. PETERSBURG Lv.	.....	6:45am	.....
10:20pm	.....	Ar.. FORT MYERS Lv.	*3:00pm	*6:45am	.....

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55	51	*Daily.	32-50	54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	11:20am	Ar. ..... Sumter ..... Lv.	5:55pm	7:40am
11:10pm	12:55pm	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4:10pm	6:00am
9:25am	.....	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2:30pm	.....
11:30pm	1:10pm	Lv. ..... Columbia ..... Sou. Ry. ..... Ar.	2:20pm	5:30am
5:30am	7:40pm	Ar. ..... Saluda ..... " ..... Lv.	7:45am	10:25pm
6:00am	8:15pm	Ar. ..... Hendersonville. ..... " ..... Lv.	8:05am	9:50pm
7:00am	9:15pm	Ar. ..... ASHEVILLE ..... " ..... Lv.	*7:00am	8:50pm
9:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Knoxville ..... " ..... Lv.	.....	6:30am
8:40am	.....	Ar. ..... Louisville ..... Lv.	.....	8:00am
8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI ..... Lv.	.....	*8:10pm

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57	51-97	55-95	a*Daily	†Daily ex. Sun.	*Sun.	96-54	98-50	58
7:30pm	*5:35am	*3:15pm	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ... Ar.	1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am		
9:15pm	7:20am	5:03am	Ar. .... *CHADBOURN .... Lv.	*11:40am	*11:02pm	6:25am		
11:10pm	11:25am	*5:15pm	Lv. .... CHADBOURN .... Ar.	7:10am	5:00pm	6:10am		
12:45am	1:30pm	6:45pm	Ar. ..... CONWAY ..... Lv.	*5:40am	3:30pm	4:45am		

61	53	*Daily.	†Daily ex. Sun.	60	52
6:30pm	*8:45am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	10:15am	*8:05pm	
9:45pm	11:5am	Ar. ..... Fayetteville ..... Lv.	7:05am	4:50pm	
9:45pm	12:10pm	Lv. ..... Fayetteville ..... Ar.	7:00am	4:45pm	
11:10pm	1:30pm	Ar. ..... SANFORD ..... Lv.	5:35am	*3:30pm	

62	64	*Daily.	†Daily except Sun.	63	65
*3:25pm	5:30am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:50pm	6:50pm	
5:22pm	7:42am	Ar. ..... Jacksonville, N. C. ..... Lv.	10:55am	4:55pm	
6:41pm	9:10am	Ar. ..... Nor. &Sou. Junction ..... Lv.	9:35am	3:35pm	
6:50pm	9:15am	Ar. ..... NEWBERN, N. C. ..... Lv.	*9:50am	3:50pm	

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8:30 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
	9:15 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
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Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
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Tuesday, September 13th, 1910.

The man who can give you a sure cure for the rheumatiz is the same man who can tell you all about the political situation.

Speaking of alleged "respectability" North Carolina Republicanism now has the laugh on President Taft's National Republicanism.

Parisian fashion fadists are now sporting the aeroplane hat. No doubt it will be worn mostly by girls who are used to putting on airs.

They didn't tie any can to "Uncle Joe" so he could chase himself. The fact is, they were afraid "Uncle Joe" was coiled and wouldn't stand for the can.

The real issue in this campaign is the people's interests against special interests. Light your pipe with the side issues you hear escaping from political gasbags.

A "Big Business" newspaper in New York wants to present Col. Roosevelt to the Democracy. No thank you. The Democratic party is in need of assets and not liabilities.

Governor Hadley, of Missouri, has pardoned a St. Louis boodler who weighs 400 pounds. Thus we observe that even a fat man will take the risk of squeezing himself into a crooked deal.

To hear a Republican spellbinder howl for protection one would conclude that boasted American individuality really has to have government splints on its backbone before it is willing to take chances with competition.

The Hon. William Randolph Hearst has cabled from Europe that he does not approve Roosevelt's course in the West. This would indicate that, while all this thing is going on, Col. Hearst is not content to rest quietly in oblivion.

The interests of any party are better served by men who are more concerned in the triumph of party principles than by men who simply use politics for their own selfish purposes. The man who turns his political coat for an office and not for conviction is a poor party asset.

"Big Business" is cartooned as taking to the cyclone cellar at the thought of the "stormy petrel" which has been disturbing the political atmosphere with his "Big Stick" during the past few weeks. "Accumulated wealth" is knocking its knees together at the prospect for 1912.

We have only the promise of the Republican party in North Carolina to be "respectable." We have seen men "swear off" in January and hit the bottle the balance of the year from force of habit. North Carolinians are willing to accept a promise but they are from Missouri till you "snow" them.

Job tells us to "Beware of the dissembler and the crafty man." The politician who presents an issue that has to be interpreted before you can understand what it means and which may be construed one way to suit you and another way to suit somebody else, is a dissembler. The gumshoe politician who turns easy tricks and slides on so you can fool yourself is a crafty man.

That Republican banquet in Chicago was really intended to be a "harmony dinner" where the factional leaders could chew together and forget they ever had any differences that good grub couldn't settle. The harmony dinner might have been a success but a Rough Rider spoiled the whole thing by putting Senator Lorimer in the soup. When a guest insists on carrying a Big Stick to a banquet look out for the crockery.

PIE IDEAED REPUBLICANS.

No doubt President Taft will broaden that smile that won't come off when he hears from Charlotte that the "local Republicans" have forgotten or been heedless of his speech at Greensboro just prior to his nomination. Mr. Taft came to North Carolina then under the impression that North Carolina Republicanism consisted of a "pie brigade," a close corporation of office brokers, and wranglers over the spoils of Federal office. For that reason he told them it would be a good thing if every federal office in North Carolina were held by a Democrat.

A glimpse at North Carolina Republicans convinced Mr. Taft that they had office in their heads instead of the principles of the party, and it was his opinion that if they did not have the offices to quarrel over they could get together on the principles of the party. However, Ephriam is still wedded to his idols in the Ninth Congressional District where the Hon. S. S. McNinch is the Republican candidate for Congress. Republicans there cannot get the "federal pie" idea out of their heads and they have been slow on their candidate till they have some kind of understanding with him about a matter of division of spoils. This, for instance, from the Charlotte Evening Chronicle, of Saturday, tells us about it:

"An instance of the ruling passion strong in death has just come to light in Mecklenburg Republican circles. The keynote of North Carolina Republicanism has been and is "office." It has no higher aim than in the procurement and control of official jobs and it is this very characteristic that has retarded the growth of the party in this State. How hopeless is the obsession for office in the recent action of the machine committee in practically commanding McNinch in the event of his election to Congress, to take instructions from them and to make no appointments to office that are not endorsed by the county machine. Of course this action is audacious, and it goes to show why a Republican is a Republican in this State. The reply of Candidate McNinch was to the effect that in the matter of making appointments he would not be dominated by the machine, but that he would follow the plan of Chairman Morehead. The old pie-counter crowd seems to be unable to understand the new order of things. It is a hard death. We are a little bit surprised that the Charlotte machine hands should have made a public spectacle of it."

Mr. McNinch, of course, could not acknowledge the jurisdiction of the "local machine." The locals forget that there is a State machine, run by Morehead and Butler, which has the only undisputed jurisdiction. Mr. McNinch acknowledged that jurisdiction, but if he hadn't done so it would have made no difference. The "respectable" State machine captured that jurisdiction from Duncan, Adams, et al, and will hereafter do what it charged them with doing—see to the distribution of the offices.

The Charlotte instance serves to impress the fact that North Carolina Republicans will hurrah for no cnadidate till they find out what he can do for them. They care nothing for the great public questions of the day, and if they did they would vote the Democratic ticket.

HELD UP THE RAILROADS.

"Sunny Jim" Sherman, Vice President, who is soon coming to North Carolina to spellbind, does not seem to stand very high, even among the Republican papers up North. He made himself even more "imposse" when he shared in the standpat deal by which he gave Ex-President Roosevelt the biggest rebuff out of four administered to the Rough Rider since his "return from Elba." "Sunny Jim," by his connection with the transaction in which he was chosen to preside as temporary chairman of the forthcoming Republican State convention at Saratoga, over Ex-President Roosevelt who was "figuring high" on that honor, was guilty of such bad political manners President Taft repudiated the Vice President and the part he took in the transaction. Of course, Col. Roosevelt put the Vice President on his list of "undesirable citizens," and even refused to receive him in conference.

Republicans are now beginning to believe that the Vice President will do them about as much harm as a political object lesson as either Cannon or Aldrich, and some rough things are being told on him. The Buffalo Courier, for instance, adds to the Vice President's woes by recalling attention to a slick trick by Mr. Sherman when he was a member of Congress. The story goes that the railroads were not "coming across lively" with campaign funds, so Mr. Sherman introduced a bill which made them sit up and take notice. This Sherman bluff bill provided that all railroads doing an interstate business should issue and have on sale mileage tickets containing coupons, in books of not more than 5,000 miles, and that these books should be sold at a uniform rate of two cents a mile. The bill also provided that the coupon tickets should be unlimited as to the time in which they could be used, and should be good for transportation and checking of baggage upon the trains of any railroad in the United States. It further provided that the coupon tickets should not be restricted to passage on any train on any railroad engaged in interstate commerce and that they should be redeemed at face value on presentation at any ticket office of any railroad engaged in interstate commerce.

This remarkable bill was introduced eighteen days before the end of a long session of Congress, immediately preceding a Congressional campaign, when there was no possibility of its passage. At the time Mr. Sherman was chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee and the ranking member of the House Committee on Interstate Commerce, and to the latter committee the bill was referred. When Congress adjourned the Senate had passed a bill forbidding corporations to make campaign contributions, but it had been held up in the House. Therefore, the author of a bill violently opposed by the railroad interests was in a position, as chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee and a member of the House Interstate Committee, to approach the railroad managers and say to them that it remained to be seen what could be done with the mileage coupon bill at the next session and after the Congressional elections. It is a significant fact that at the next session of Congress Mr. Sherman's mileage bill was quietly chloroformed and nothing was heard of it afterward.

The Courier, in relating the facts, declares that "there is not the least doubt that it was a 'strike' bill and served the purpose." At any rate, that paper adds that "it coerced the railroads and they came forward with handsome campaign subscriptions." This certainly illustrates two things—that the legislation of this country can be used by unscrupulous politicians to hold up the "interests" and that such a condition grows out of greed for funds to corrupt the politics of this country.

Teddy eats 'em alive without waiting for the banquet.

In order to ascertain what Roosevelt thinks of Ballinger invite them to sit together at a banquet.

President Taft took a shot at "New Nationalism" because it looks so much like somebody with a monopoly on I's and teeth.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The new nationalism is nothing more than Rooseveltism, after all.—Rochester Herald.

Close connection made for Seattle, San Francisco and all Western points, Pullman Sleeping and Parlor cars.—Newbern Sun.

"All of us have to continue to work for a living after we fall out over the politicians who get the offices," says the Wilmington Star. But some of the politicians do not realize this.—Newbern Sun.

Conservation of Roosevelt's political interests was one of the central ideas at St. Paul, according to one of the delegates, and it seems that this delegate is a very perspicacious gentleman.—Chattanooga Times.

A Beverly (Mass.) dispatch tries to make Colonel Roosevelt a Democrat. The G. O. P. may be willing and the Democratic party needs recruits, but it doesn't want to add to its liabilities.—New York Evening Telegram.

The railroad managers are so blind to their own interests that it is likely that the Government will beat them to the cheap express business by adopting a parcels post system. The railroads could head off the scheme if they would.—Rochester Herald.

The primary elections to settle the fight between Godwin and Clark, in the Sixth congressional district, is to be held next Thursday. Clark has the great majority of the newspapers of the district on his side, but Godwin is putting up a stiff fight. It is a fierce tussle and the issue is problematical. The question arises, however, if Godwin should win, how are all those Democratic papers that have been lambasting him going to square themselves as to the matter of supporting him? They may cover themselves with the cloak of party loyalty, but we imagine the support they will give him will carry a dry grin with it.—Charlotte Chronicle.

"Manufactured cotton being next to raw cotton the chief product of South Carolina, its producers should have the full benefit of whatever advantages in marketing the State of South Carolina can give them and whatever advantages the principal port of the State, Charleston, would derive would add to the wealth of the State." Thus the Columbia State. In North Carolina manufactured cotton is without exception the most valuable product. If somewhat better freight rates could enable Charleston to ship 299,113 bales of cloth in 1909 as against almost none a few years before, there should be means of giving Wilmington a cloth shipment business also. We hope that neither port will leave any stone unturned until it does the business legitimately accruing to it and its section.—Charlotte Observer.

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COLUMBUS COUNTY NEWS.

Murder Trial Concluded—Illicit Distilleries—Political Affairs.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Sept. 12.—The trial of Sam Hughes, for the murder of Charley Joyner, was concluded last nigth, so far as taking the testimony and arguing the case is concerned, and after an able and impartial charge from Judge Allen, was given to the jury. The defense was represented by Messrs. Homer L. Lyon and I. B. Tucker, who made strong speeches for their client, while the prosecution was pressed by Solicitor Sinclair and the able law firm of Schulken, Toon & Schulken. A great many witnesses were examined, and the trial starting last Thursday evening only ended last night. The jury rendering a verdict of manslaughter, with recommendation to mercy. He was sentenced to two years.

This trial closed the present term of court, and Judge Lyon leaves today for Lumberton, where he will hold court next week. Seldom has larger crowds attended court in Whiteville than this term, particularly on several days.

Both the Godwin and Clark men are now working like beavers, but thus far the best of feeling prevails. Rival clubs are being organized all over our county, and an attempt will be made next Wednesday to bring out every available vote. Mr. Godwin spent one day here during court, but Mr. Clark left his cause in the hands of his friends, turning his attention to capturing counties claimed for Godwin. Both sides express the greatest confidence, but either would be better satisfied to have the contest over and decided in their favor.

There is a great deal of illicit distilling now, going on in this and adjoining counties. In the past few days three moonshine distilleries have been captured and broken up. One large copper outfit was found just across the line over in Brunswick county, and another one near Crusoe Island, in Columbus county. At one of these places the officers found a good deal of liquor, and which they brought in. They also cut up fermenters and other outfit belonging to such institutions, destroying a considerable amount of beer.

Yesterday one of the queerest distilling outfits ever seen was brought into Whiteville and deposited in the office of the Register of Deeds, where it is kept as a curiosity. This still was made from a ten-gallon lard tin can, with the top fashioned into a cap by a tinner. It is said the thing worked all right and would make liquor.

Officers say these distilleries generally take cheap molasses and from it make rum. Few of them use meal and malt. This rum they make is generally a vile stuff, but it makes drunk come, and finds ready sale.

No prisoners were captured during these raids, as they managed to get away. Revenue officers say that a number of stills are now in operation in the swamps and marshes of Columbus and Brunswick counties, and they have received orders to break up the business.

BOOKS NOT FORTHCOMING.

Bache & Company Defy Order of Court—Rather See Client Go to Jail.

New York, Sept. 12.—When noon came today the books of J. S. Bache & Company, subpoenaed for production before the joint legislative graft investigating committee, in session here, had not been produced. Leopold Bache had been allowed until noon to produce these books, which cover the period from 1900 to 1905 inclusive. Mr. Bache and his counsel visited the district attorney tonight and the three arrived at an agreement by which it was provided that Bache and Company should furnish the committee with a list of its customers during the desired years, such list to be held for the use of the committee only, on condition that Bache & Company produce without quibbling all and whatsoever accounts the committee indicated. The agreement was ready to be signed when William J. Wollman, counsel for Mr. Bache, jumped up and shouted:

"I'd rather have my client go to jail than submit to such demands." Mr. Bache nodded assent.

"I shall expect you in the Tombs police court tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock," retorted District Attorney Whitman. "And if he isn't there we'll send an officer for him," added to Mr. Wollman.

Bache & Company are large bankers and brokers with offices here and in many other cities. Their refusal to produce the books was based on a contention that they were not required to open their client's account to a "fishing expedition." They would be glad, they said, to show any specific account asked for. The committee resumes its sittings next Wednesday.

AS TO COTTON MILL MERGER.

Decision Handed Down in Riverside and Dan River Mills Case.

Danville, Va., Sept. 12.—Judge A. M. Aiken, of the Corporation Court of Danville, handed down a decision today in the suit instituted by W. R. Winfree, of Lynchburg and others, against the Riverside and Dan River Cotton Mills, which had for its object the dissolution of the merger of the two mills and a settlement with the common stockholders of the Riverside Cotton Mills on the original basis. He held that the court had no jurisdiction to dissolve the merger which was effected in accordance with a charter granted by the Virginia Corporation Commission, but that the complaining stockholders were entitled to the value of their stock at the time of the merger, the value to be appraised according to law.

The Riverside Cotton Mills and the Dan River Power & Manufacturing Company were consolidated in August, 1909, by an overwhelming majority of the stockholders of the two concerns. W. R. Winfree and others who were common stockholders in the Riverside plant claimed that the terms of the merger were unfair to them and that the merger was illegal. Suit was instituted and the company demurred, claiming that the court here had no jurisdiction in the case. The main issue is decided in favor of the cotton mills. The capitalization of the mills here is $7,000,000.

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THE A. & M. OPENING.

Large Attendance This Year—New Students—Vaccination in Progress.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

West Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 12.—The largest number of new students in the history of the college have enrolled for the various courses during the past week. Exact figures of the number of new men in college are not obtainable at present, but with the late arrivals expected during the presnt week, the number will in all probability reach 210 or 225.

The new men got acquainted with each other and with the upper classmen in Pullen Hall Saturday night, when a typical "College Night" was enjoyed. Speeches were made by several of the older students along various lines, such as Y. M. C. A. work, athletics, literary society work, the value of college spirit, etc. Short talks were made by the secretary of the college Y. M. C. A. and by several prominent men of Raleigh. Yells were given and songs were sung between the talks.

The college hospital has presented a very busy scene each afternoon since college opened as the college physician has been vaccinating all of the students who could not present certificates of vaccination within the last two years. This precaution was taken by the Board of Trustees of the college acting upon the advice of the State Board of Health. There was a great deal of smallpox in the surrounding counties last Winter and the college authorities are taking this step so that the work of the college will not be interrupted by smallpox getting a foothold among the students.

The General Secretary of the college Y. M. C. A., J. W. Berythold, reports real progress made on the raising of the money for the Y. M. C. A. building which it is hoped will soon be built. This building will contain a much needed gymnasium, as the students have no place for indoor recreatin during inclement weather.

Your kidney trouble may be of long standing, it may be either acute or chronic, but whatever it is Foley's Kidney Remedy will aid you to get rid of it quickly and restore your natural health and vigor. "One bottle of Foley's Kidney Remedy made me well," said J. Sibbull, of Grand View, Wis. Commence taking it now. Robt. R Bellamy.

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Stockholders' Annual Meeting September 14th

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Co., for the election of officers and for such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held Wednesday morning, Sept. 14th, in room 311, Southern Building.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETS

Regular Monthly Session Yesterday Afternoon—Routine Matters Considered—Professor Catlett Makes Report.

The County Board of Education met at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in regular monthly session in the office of Prof. Washington Catlett, superintendent of public instruction, in the Court House with J. O. Carr, Esq., chairman, presiding and Messrs. W. H. Sprunt and D. J. Fergus, members of the board, and Prof. Catlett, in attendance. The board was in session for an hour and a half and a number of matters of interest were discussed.

The books of County Treasurer H. McL. Green were audited and found to be correct as usual. The books show a balance of $2,599.87 in the trueasury to the credit of the school board.

Prof. Catlett, who has visited a number of the rural public schools since they opened last Monday, made a report to the board as to the enrollment at each school and the prospects for the year. As previously stated the enrollment at most of the schools is considerably larger than last year, but at a few schools the number falls below, but will probably be increased during the month.

The matter of erecting a new school house at Greenville, which has been before the board for some time, was considered again yesterday. It is the sense of the board that a new school house be erected nearer Greenville station as soon as a suitable house is secured. The committeemen of the district were authorized to erect a partition in the present building so that it can be used by two teachers until the new building is erected. If there is any one owning property near the station willing to give a suitable site for a new building they are asked to communicate with the Board of Education. Should the site be selected it is understood that work on the new building would begin immediately.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Several Cases Heard at Yesterday Morning's Sitting.

In the Recorder's court yesterday morning Eugene McMillan and Walter McKoy, negro boys, were given hearing on the charge of affray. The case against the former was dismissed, but was left open until today as to the latter. Susan Merritt, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was left off upon payment of the costs. Thos. Green, a young white man, was let off upon payment of the costs for disorderly conduct. Cases against "Son-aBoy" Washington and Wash McNeill, colored, charged with assault with deadly weapon, were continued on account of the absence of witnesses. The defendants were mixed up in the trouble at a restaurant on Red Cross, between 12th and 13th streets, Saturday night and it is understood that McNeill is in the hospital yet for treatment. A case against Isaac Chadwick, a white man, charged with drunkenness, was dismissed, the officer making the arrest testifying that he could not state positively that the man in court was the person arrested.

CARD INDEX SYSTEM.

Improved Method of Handling Business of Registry Department.

Recently there has been inaugurated at the Wilmington postoffice, as a result of the inventive genius of Postmaster Wallace, a new and decidedly improved method of handling the business of the registry department. A card index system has been installed and hereafter no receipt will be given by the receiver on the book but a card will be placed in the box or delivered by carrier to the addressee and this card is to be brought to the registry department by the receiver and duly signed for the card index system. Under this plan the government will be able to better preserve its general policy of secrecy in handling the mails and patrons of the office will find it just as satisfactory and more convenient. Receivers of registered mail are asked to make mental note of the change and always bring cards of notification to sign before receiving registered matter addressed to them.

ALLEGED HIGHWAYMAN NABBED.

Negro Believed to be Implicated in Robberies, Arrested.

Harry Davis, colored, believed to be implicated with a negro named Hankins in a number of robberies, especially two committed at corner of Sixth and Campbell streets some weeks ago, was arrested yesterday morning by Constable Chadwick, of Cape Fear township, on the Castle Haynes road. It will be recalled that Hankins was given preliminary hearing before the Recorder some days ago on charges of larceny from the person, carrying concealed weapons and assault with deadly weapon. In the former case he was bound over to Superior court and in the two last named was sentenced to the county roads. Davis is specifically charged with the larceny of money from the person of C. Tyson, colored. He will probably be given hearing before Justice Harriss today.

Mr. Thomas Stokley Dead.

Mr. Thomas Stokley died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital Saturday night at 10:30 o'clock after a brief illness of pneumonia. He was 36 years old and lived at Myrtle Grove Sound. The burial occurred at the home of Mr. Stokley yesterday.

The Lash of a Fiend

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper, of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces. 50c, $1.00. Trial bottle free. It's positively guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS CHANGE

Mr. E. T. Taylor Succeeds Mr. H. W. Malloy With V.-C. Company at Wilmington—Latter to Co. lumbia, S. C.

Following a meeting of officials of the company in Richmond, Va., Saturday, announcement of an important business change was made here yesterday—the transfer of Mr. H. W. Malloy, president and treasurer of the Navassa Guano Company, to Columbia, S. C., where he will have charge of the sales department of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., in that division, and the election of Mr. E. T. Taylor, of Wilmington, to succeed him.

The change becomes effective at once, Mr. Malloy having left yesterday afternoon for Columbia to arrange the affairs of his division prior to moving to Columbia on October 1st, and Mr. Taylor having left, also on an afternoon train, for Winston-Salem in connection with his new duties, as president and treasurer of the V.-C. interests in this division. The business community, while none the less sincerely regretting the loss of Mr. Malloy as a resident and citizen, will receive with genuine pleasure the announcement of Mr. Taylor's promotion to the head of the company's large interests here. Although hardly yet in his thirties, Mr. Taylor is a man of splendid business and executive qualifications and he will more than "make good" in the larger sphere of usefulness to which he has been called. Mr. Taylor began with the V.-C. company practically as an office boy fifteen years ago and, by strict devotion to business, by dint of push, pluck and perseverance, combined with splendid natural ability, he has risen step by step to the head of the large interests of the company in this territory, embracing the operation of two large factories, employing possibly a thousand men, and besides being the centre of a large sales business all over the State. Few young men in the State of his age have risen to a place of as large responsibility as that to which Mr. Taylor has just been elected and his friends are congratulating him most heartily upon this latest evidence of his worth and ability.

The transfer of Mr. Malloy removes from the city one of the most active and energetic and one of the best posted business men of the port. He came to Wilmington 28 years ago and has since that time been actively identified with every movement which has made for the upbuilding of the city and community. Socially and in church circles Mr. Malloy has been prominent in Wilmington and in this section of the State. He will be greatly missed as one of the most active and energetic members of the First Presbyterian Church, of this city, besides being one of the leaders of the Laymen's Missionary Movement in the State. A bright, progressive citizen, his removal from the city is to be generally deplored. Mr. Malloy will return to the city in a few days before leaving finally for Columbia and it is safe to say that no citizen will receive a more sincere assurance from a people of their extreme regret to know of his departure for another city and another State.

BEFORE JUSTICE HARRISS.

Several Cases Were Investigated Yesterday Afternoon.

Justice George Harriss held a rather lengthy session of his court in the Court House yesterday afternoon to investigate charges of assault upon Health Officer J. C. Vereen at his home Sunday night. The defendants were represented by Walter P. Gafford, Esq., while Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared for the prosecution. It was alleged that Mike Bryant, a white man, went to Vereen's house Sunday night and began a row with Vereen and that several others were on the outside to help him out in case their services were needed. The charge against Bryant was assault with deadly weapon and trespass. Gordan Sarvis, Joe Roddick, John Roddick and E. M. Roddick were charged with aiding and abetting in an assault upon Mr. Vereen. A nol pros was taken as to Joe Roddick, and the justice found the others guilty of assault and passed judgment as follows: Mike Bryant, $25 and costs; John Roddick, $10 and costs; E. M. Roddick, $5 and costs; Sarvis $5 and costs.

NEWS OF THE SHIPPING.

Two Schooners Arrived Yesterday—Cargo of the Reliance.

The first vessel to begin discharging at the wharf of the Springer Coal Company since the extensive improvements were made during the Summer, is the schooner F. & T. Lupton, Capt. Longstreet, which arrived in port yesterday from Philadelphia with cargo of coal. The schooner made a good passage down the coast and brought 1,200 tons, which will be for interior shipment.

The schooner Philip M. Brooks, Capt. Sanders, arrived yesterday with cargo of salt for the Seaboard. The schooner Joseph P. Cooper, which arrived Saturday, also brought salt, and both have begun discharging.

The British schooner Reliance, which arrived last week from the British West Indies, with cargo of molasses for the C. C. Covington Company, brought 653 packages. The cargo consists of 552 puncheons, 74 tierces and 37 barrels. The vessel comes to C. D. Mallitt.

Death of Infant Daughter.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rivenbark will sympathize with them in the death of their two-year-old daughter, Thelma Rivenbark, which occurred at the family residence, No 904 North Third street, at 5 o'clock yesterday morning of diphtheria. The funeral and interment will take place today.

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STREET COMMISSION MEETS

At Special Meeting Yesterday Morning Contract Was Awarded for Approaches to Sixth Street Bridge.

In accordance with a decision of the body in regular semi-monthly session last Friday, the Street Commission met in special session at the City Hall yesterday morning at 9 o'clock with Chairman Louis Belden presiding and all members present except Mr. R. H. Brady. In addition to the members there were present City Engineer Raymond Humphreys and Clerk J. F. Gause.

The primary purpose of the special meeting was to consider the bids for building the approaches to the bridge across the A. C. L. tracks at Sixth street which were opened at Friday's meeting. Upon motion of Mr. W. E. Worth, seconded by Mr. Heyer, the contract was awarded to Mr. A. D. O'Brien upon the condition that the proposition of Mr. B. F. Lane for grading Hanover street from Fourth to Water is incorporated in the contract, and that a bond of $500 be given for the faithful performance of the work. It will be recalled that the commission at a meeting some weeks ago authorized the engineer to advertise for bids for building the approaches to Sixth street bridge, the sand to be secured by grading Hanover from Fourth to Water street. The total cost of the work for grading Hanover street and building the approaches to Sixth street bridge will cost about $2,800, stated Capt. Louis Belden yesterday afternoon.

Upon motion of Mr. Parsley it was ordered that an engineer of bridges be employed to check all drawings and figures for the Sixth street bridge. Upon motion of Mr. Worth the specifications in the advertisement for bids for the improvement of the streets was approved, after which the commission adjourned.

DEATH OF MRS. J. C. WOOTTEN.

Durham Lady Passed Away in This City Sunday Night.

Many friends in this city and elsewhere learned with sincere regret of the death of Mrs. Mary Page Wootten, beloved wife of Rev. J. C. Wootten, a member of the faculty of Trinity College, Durham, which occurred at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, this city, Sunday night at 9 o'clock, after an illness of some time. Mr. Wootten supplied the pulpit of Grace Methodist church in the absence from the city during the Summer of the pastor, Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, and he and his wife made many warm friends in this city. Early in the Summer Mrs. Wootten spent several weeks at Southport in the hope that her health might be benefitted. No improvement was noted and some weeks ago she was brought to the hospital in this city for treatment. Her condition grew gradually worse until the end at the hour mentioned.

The body was removed Sunday night to the home of Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, Second and Walnut streets, and at 8 o'clock yesterday morning a brief funeral service was conducted by Mr. Smoot in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends. The body was then tenderly borne to the union station and then on the 8:40 o'clock train to Durham, where the funeral and interment will take place today. The pall-bearers were Messrs. D. C. Love, C. W. Yates, W. B. Cooper, H. M Foard, Herbert McClammy and Eli Cavanaugh Many friends in this city tenderly sympathize with Mr. Wooten in his sad bereavement.

SECOND COTTON STEAMER.

Mariner Arrived From Baltimore—First Quotation of Season.

The British steamer Mariner, Capt. Morrison, arrived in port yesterday to receive cotton for foreign export and is the second of the season. The steamer comes light from Baltimore and docked at the compress of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son yesterday afternoon.

For the first time this season cotton was quoted on the exchange yesterday, the price being 13 5-16 cents for middling. The staple brought 12 cents the same day last year. An increase was noted in the receipts at the exchange yesterday, 57 bales being received at the port.

Come to Court House tonight and hear Iredell Meares. **

PLANS FOR FALL AND WINTER

Important Meeting Last Night of the Two Companies of the Boys' Brigade.—Standing Committee Reports.

An important business meeting was held last night by the two companies of the Boys' Brigade at which plans for the Fall and Winter work of the organization were outlined. It was not only the first business meeting of the season but the first time the two companies ever met in joint session. Hereafter the civil branch of the organization will meet at the same time and as one company. The tw ocompanies will also drill on the same night instead of on separate nights as formerly, but unde rtheir respective commanders.

The meeting last night was presided over by President C. C. Hill, and Secretary B. F. King, Jr., was at his post. With few exceptions every member of the organization was in attendance and all took deep interest in the plans for the Fall and Winter work as unfolded by the chairmen of the several standing committees.

Maj. W. R. Dosher, chairman of the Athletic Committee, made report o. the outline of his plans for the Fall and Winter work, and though he did not go into detail enough was shown to convince the members that a splendid programme has been arranged for them. The report of the plans of Social Committee was made by Mr. B. F. King, Jr., chairman, and provides for a number of attractive social events during the Fall and Winter. Mr. J. A. Price, chairman of the Religious Committee, outlined the Bible study for the season. C. C. Loughlin, Esq., chairman of the Educational Committee, reported that three courses will be taken up in his department—English, shorthand and carpenter and drawing, these classes to be conducted by the members.

The meeting adopted the formal resolution uniting the cival branch of Companies A and B. One of the interesting features of the Brigade work this Fall and Winter will be the debates, the first of which takes place in October, when the young men will decide whether or not Wilmington should have a commission form of government.

THE DOCKERY HIGHWAY.

Secretary Skelding Receiving Gratifying Responses Daily.

Mr. A. B. Skelding, of this city, secretary of the Wilmington to Charlotte Highway Association, is daily receiving most gratifying information from all along the route of the proposed thoroughfare and it is said now that it is likely the road will be connected up and in operation by Christmas. Mr. Roland F. Beasley, of Monroe, writes that the Marshville-Monroe road has been selected and this extends on by Monroe to the Mecklenburg line, so that very little work will have to be done there. Mr. Geo. H. Currie, of Clarkton, writes that the people of Bladen are enthusiastic over the road question and may be depended upon to do their part. They will build not only Bladen's part of the road, but are also arranging to construct laterals to all parts of the county. Mr. K. B. Council, of Wananish, writes that he is preparing a map of the proposed route through his section and this will be ready in a few days. Mr. J. T. John, of John Station, has submitted a drawing of the route through Scotland county and others are writing to Mr. Skelding in an equally enthusiastic way.

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MARION SEASIDE HOME.

Wrightsville Beach Institution Has Closed for the Season.

The Marion Seaside Home, Wrightsville Beach, closed Saturday for the season. It is stated that the season just closed was one of the most successful in the history of the institution and the results were gratifying in the extreme. During the Summer 44 cases were brought to the home, being treated for a total of 448 days, and in addition some of the parents of the children were treated for a total of 304 days, making a grand total of 752 days treatment. Thirteen of the number were permanently cured, 20 were greately improved and only seven showed only slight improvement. There were only four deaths during the period and in each case there was practically no hope for the patient when admitted to the institution. During the Soummer the institution was in charge of Miss A. S. Williamson, of Baltimore, Md., as head nurse, and she was aided by a trained corps of assistants. Drs. John C. Wessell, E. J. Wood, R. H. Bellamy, C. P. Belles and Joseph Akerman were the visiting physicians. The following compose the board of managers: Mr. M. W. Jacobi, chairman; Mr. S. M. Boatwright, secretary; Dr. C. P. Belles, treasurer; Drs. E. J. Wood and Joseph Akerman.

CAPT. GALLOWAY DEAD.

Well Known and Highly Esteemed Citizen of Southport.

Many friends in Wilmington were shocked and saddened yesterday to learn of the death of Capt. John W. Galloway, which occurred Sunday at his home at Southport after an illness of some months with heart disease. Capt. Galloway passed away between 11 o'clock and noon. For a number of years he resided in this city and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. Capt. Galloway was a brave Confederate soldier and served during the civil war first as a lieutenant in Cumming's Battery. He was a man of fine ability and was an expert accountant and had several times held various positions with the United States government. His passing is genuinely regretted by a host of friends and acquaintances.

Capt. Galloway is survived by his wife and three children, Mr. Dan Galloway and Mrs. Minnie Galloway, of Southport, and Mrs. Oscar Croom, of this city; also by one sister, Miss Adell Galloway, of Wayne county, and two brothers, Dr. W. C. Galloway, of Wilmington, and Mr. D. W. Galloway, of Fairmont, Robeson county. The funeral was held at Southport yesterday and a number of friends from this city were in attendance.

CONCEALING BIRTH OF CHILD.

Negro Girl Will Probably be Indicted on This Charge.

Jim Walker, colored, of 611 Bladen street, reported to Assistant Chief of Police Woolard Sunday night that a colored infant had been found on his premises, a short distance from his house. Officer Woolard made an investigation, finding the infant as reported. Continuing his investigations he found that Julia Durant, 16 years old, daughter of Frances Durant, of 908 Love's alley, was the mother of the child. Officer Woolard notified Dr. Joseph Akerman, city physician, who arrived just in time, and sent the mother and child to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where both are being cared for. Chief of Police N. J. Williams stated yesterday afternoon that the Durant girl would be indicted for concealing the birth of a child as soon as she is able to attend trial.

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MADE GOOD HIS ESCAPE.

Louis Yates, White Man, Got Away From Guards Sunday.

Louis Yates, who was sentenced in Superior Court some two or three years ago to five years on the county roads for larceny from the person, was brought to the James Walker Memorial Hospital a few days ago for treatment and subsequently made his escape from the institution. He was recaptured early Sunday morning by a police officer and temporarily lodged in the city prison. The county authorities were notified of the recapture of the man and two guards were sent to the city from one of the convict camps to carry the man back to serve the remainder of his time. Information was received at police headquarters Sunday to the effect that Yates succeeded in getting away from the guards and so far as known in the city he had not been recaptured yesterday.

Mr. Meares Speaks Tonight.

The County Republican Executive Committee is widely advertising the address of Iredell Meares, Esq., Republican candidate for Congress, in the Court House in this city tonight at 8 o'clock. Mr. Meares spoke yesterday at Lumberton and tonight he will address the voters of New Hanover. It is made plain that he will discuss National issues only.

PATTERSON CREATES CHAOS.

Governor's Withdrawal Sets Tennessee Leaders Guessing.—Conferences.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 12.—Governor Patterson's withdrawal from the gubernatorial race in Tennessee has created a condition that has the wisest politicians guessing as to what effect his action will have. Hurried calls have been issued for conferences of the leaders of all factions and parties. The most important will be that of the Independent Democratic State executive committee and the regular State committee Tuesday.

The Independent committee will be confronted by a situation unparalleled in the history of the State. Their faction received the support of the Republicans in electing State judicial tickets August 4, and their part of the agreement is to give their support to the Republican candidate for Governor. In an interview at his home at Newport today, B. W. Hooper, Republican candidate for Governor, practically said that he expected the independents to carry out their agreement, and that it was "hardly possible to make new alignments at this late date."

It is known that the feeling of many of the independents throughout the State is against Patterson solely, and many claim that it is a grave question whether the independent committee can now hold the voters in line for Hooper if they so desired. The "regular" or Paterson Democratic State Committee was called to meet here Thursday, the day following the independent convention, but today Chairman Robertson amended the call, and the committee will assemble Tuesday in advance of the convention. Eliminated fro mthe present campaign, Patterson's enemies claim his relegation is permanent. Friends, however, do not consider h will stay in the background for any length of time.

So much confusion existed in local political circles today that no names have been suggested in connection with the matter of a Democratic candidate for Governor.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Miss Lila Branch has returned to her home in Fayetteville after a pleasant visit to relatives here.

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Mrs. G. T. Flynn and children, have returned from Black Mountain, where they have been spending the Summer.

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Mrs. W. M. Glover and two sons, who have been visiting Mrs. N. E. Bunting, have returned to their home in Fayetteville.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Beard have gone to the western part of the State to spend a month with Mr. Beard's parents at Valle Curcis.

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Miss Janie Dudley has taken the position of cashier for the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., her many friends will be interested to learn.

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Mrs. Geo. Delmo Allen, of Wake Forest, arrived Sunday to be with her father, Mr. R. O. Vaughn, who is ill at his home on Princess street.

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Mrs. Thomas B. Harriss, of New York, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. L. Harlow, at her Summer home on Wrightsville Beach.

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Mrs. W. B. Williams and children returned Sunday night from a visit of some time, spent very pleasantly with friends and relatives near Durham, N. C.

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Mrs. R. E. Smith and daughters, Misses Margaret and Ruth, returned yesterday after spending the Summer at Cape May, N. J., and in the mountains of Virginia.

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Mrs. A. P. McClammy, Mrs. R. J. Kennedy and son, Master Charles, and Miss May Lillie McClammy have returned from a visit of six weeks to New York City and other points in the North.

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The Ladies', Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 5 o'clock in the church parlors. All the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to be present.

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Robert Ruark, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, returned yesterday from Wallace, where he spent the week-end with Mrs. Ruark and children, who are at the bedside of Mrs. Ruark's father, Mr. J. S. Westbrook, whom friends will regret to know is critically ill.

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A SURPRISE WEDDING SUNDAY AT WHITEVILLE.

Whiteville, N. C., Sept. 12.—A surprise marriage took place in the parlors of the Columbus Hotel Saturday. When the noon train arrived from Fair Bluff, a party of young people disembarked and driving up town registered at the hotel for dinner. It soon became whispered among the boarders that a marriage was on tapis, and this rumor was strengthened when Rev. J. J. Adams, a prominent Baptist minister, entered. After dining, Mr. H. V. Norris, a popular young saw mill man and manager of the plant near Fair Bluff, and Miss Mattie Anderson, a charming young lady, also of Fair Bluff, and belonging to one of its best families, walked into the parlors, where they had been preceded by Miss Mamie Pitts, in charge of the music department of the Whiteville High School. The young couple, with their friends and a number of guests at the hotel, walked into the room, amid the stirring strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Miss Pitts, and Mr. Adams proceeded to perform the ceremony. They then returned to Fair Bluff on the next train, and which place they will make their future home. It appears that the wedding was set for October, but they decided to hasten that happy event and surprise their friends with an unexpected marriage.

CRUSADE ON WEAK BANKS.

Initimates That Laws Are Not Properly Enforced.

Washington, Sept. 12.—Speaking to the bank supervisors of 25 States, who gathered in convention here today, Lawrence A. Murray, Comptroller of the Currency, declared that the results under the banking laws of this country were in a large measure unsatisfactory. The reason, he did not attempt to explain, though he intimated the fault might be in a weak administration of the law.

In proposing a working co-operation between the National banking system and the State supervisors, the comptroller mentioned some practices which he considered highly objectionable. The June call for condition of National banks showed $26,000,000 in overdrafts, he said, and there is no statute which allows his office to control such a condition. There are some State laws, and he urged co-operation from the supervisor on that point.

Weak banks should be forced into liquidation, Mr. Murray declared, and he said he would use every power conferred on his office to force unsteady institutions to discontinue business before they fail. He asked the State officials to urge such a practice in their home territory.

Bank promoters he condemned in unmistakable terms. A list of them is kept in the comptroller's office and he promised the State officials it would be available for their use in investigation of applications.

Clark Williams, State superintendent of banks of New York, is president of the Supervisors' Association.

Washington, Sept. 12.—Reports of the canvass of all banks in Virginia received at the Treasury show that on June 30th there were 374 State and National banks in the Old Dominion with aggregate capital of $26,100,000; surplus and other profits of $19,500,000, deposits of $119,100,000 and aggregate assets of $205,000,000.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—Ann Holmes, colored, living at 618 Nixon street, was discovered yesterday to have a well developed case of smallpox and was quarantined at her home.

—Hoist Kennedy and C. H. Stocks, both white, engaged in a personal encounter on Water street yesterday afternoon. They will be given hearing in Justice Harriss' court Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

—By deed filed for record yesterday J. B. Hewlett and wife transfer to F. D. Capps and wife, for $10 and other considerations, 2.5 acres of land in Masonboro township, adjoining lands of J. G. Wagner and others.

—At the Bijou theatre tomorrow will be shown "Pekin the Walled City," "Through the Enemy's Line" and "The Phoenix," all excellent pictures and such that will doubtless attract a large crowd at each performance.

—Sam Hill, colored, was arrested yesterday morning on the charge of complicity in the larceny of a number of chickens at Rock Hill plantation near the city. In default of bond he was lodged in the county jail to await hearing before Justice Harriss.

—Peter Mosely and Jessie Henekins colored, were arrested yesterday morning on the charge of assault on Robt. Berry, colored, in East Wilmington, last Friday. They were recognized for trial before Justice Harriss which will probably be some time today.

—A number of Wilmington lawyers are in attendance upon Pender Superior Court in session this week at Burgaw with Judge Harry W. Whedbee, of Greenville, presiding. The term is for two weeks, the first week of which is for criminal cases and the second for civil actions.

—The Star is requested to announce that the basket party which was to have been given at the North Wilmington Union School, on the Castle Haynes road, Friday night of this week, has been unavoidably postponed until some time next week, due notice of which will be given.

—James Robinson, a well known colored barber on Dock, between Front and Water streets, died yesterday about noon of pneumonia at his home on Wooster, between Eighth and Ninth streets. The funeral will be from the Church of the Holy Covenant, colored, today. Robinson was an industrious colored man and was well thought of by members of both races among whom he lived.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

Third District Appeals—Schools Open. Charges Not Sustained.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 12.—The Supreme Court devotes this week to appeals from the third district, of which there are 16, two of these being State cases, and of general interest, both coming from Newbern. In one case a member of the board of city commissioners was indicted, charged with being a stockholder in a company with which the commissioners made a contract for supplies on behalf of the city. On the other case the city commissioner was indicted for being an employe of the company with which the contract was made. The Attorney General takes the view that the man who was a stockholder of the company violated in spirit the statute which forbids officials from making contracts with firms in which they are interested. In the case of the employe the Attorney General takes the view that his being merely an employe did not make him interested to such an extent as to be in violation of the statute.

Raleigh's public schools opened today under the direction of Supt. Francis M. Harper. There is an increased attendance at all of them. There is a high school and eleven grammar schools. During the year one new school building has been constructed and all of the others have been repainted and repaired. The superintendent greatly desires a trade school fr the negroes here, who are generally thrifty and industrials, exceptionally so, in fact.

Today Chairman B. C. Beckwith, of the State Board of Internal Improvements, filed with Gov. Kitchin his report covering the investigation by the board of the charges made against the State tuberculosis sanitarium in Moore county. In brief, the board finds the charges which were made by a physician in another part of the State to be unsustained.

Democratic State Chairman Eller, today finished the handbook of the party which is to be given a very great circulation this year. It is at once the largest and best ever issued by the party in North Carolina. Capt. Samuel A. Ashe gave invaluable aid in its preparation.

At Shaw University, colored, work goes on ranidly on the new Leonard Hospital, which will be a model. This will give Raleigh two negro hospitals, both high class. The new Rex Hospital has nearly finshed its first year, and has made a very notable record. Mr. John T. Pullen, president of the Raleigh Savings Bank, has made the hospital a gift of $1,000 to meet some pressing obligations.

NINE KILLED IN TUNNEL.

Workmen Caught Under Rock at Jersey City—Ten Seriously Hurt.

New York, Sept. 11.—At least nine laborers were killed outright today and ten others injured, one of them critically and all of them seriously, in the collapse of an overhanging shoulder of rock from above the western mouth of the old Erie tunnel under Bergen Hill, connecting the Erie terminal in Jersey City with its westward division. The collapse was directly beneath the edge of the Hudson boulevard, which at that point runs along the inner line of Bergen Hill, and though the actual fall was out of sight of the holiday crowds, thousands lined the boulevard all afternoon, peering down at the work of removal. Of the known dead four are Americans, three wre unidentified, and two were foreigners.

For several years the Erie has been working at the gigantic task of carving an open cut for its passenger trains through the solid rock of Bergen Hill, which in some spots is 300 feet high. The cut was opened for travel not long ago, but there still remains the task of hewing a common portal for the old tunnel and the new cut, out of the ledge, where they will meet west of the boulevard. It was there that the fall came today.

Theatrical

With the presentation of "The Soul Kiss" at the Academy of Music last night the theatrical season in Wilmington was formally opened. There were only a few empty seats and judging from the applause and the expressions of a large number of theatre-goers competent to judge, the show pleased. Many who had viewed some of the advance photographs and read criticisms in some newspapers expected a rich and racy production—something akin to "The Girl from Rector's," but in this they were disappointed, for, according to those who attended, there was nothing objectionable about the show. The audience was composed of about as many ladies as gentlemen and none considered the production so risque as to warrant them in leaving. The chorus was only ordinary; not beautiful nor were the voices anything extra. It is a very large company and the principals acquitted themselves creditably. Several songs made a hit with the audience and the dancer, Miss Ethel Gilmore, won a liberal share of the applause. Altogether it was up to the average musical comedy and for the most part the audience was greatly pleased.

Coming Attractions.

Especial interest always attaches to the new work of a well known author, and when the author is a dramatist using for his vehicle the literary product of a writer whose fame has been particularly bright, the result may well be expected to be unusual. Such a combination exists in the case of "Beulah", dramatized from the widely read book of the same name by Augusta J. Evans, in her day one of the most widely read novelists. The dramatist—is Miss Alice E. Ives, whose plays "The Village Postmaster," and stamped her as one of the most charming writers for the native stage. To those whose forte is not the stage, Miss Ives is well known through her contributions to the various leading magazines and newspapers, and the announcement that she is bringing out a new work will be received with pleasure by many throughout the country who have learned, through her writings, to admire the gifted woman's work. The play will be seen at the Academy Friday night and seats will go on sale Thursday morning.

"A Gentleman From Mississippi."

"A Gentleman from Mississippi," which will be the offering at the Academy matinee and night Saturday, is acknowledged to be the best American comedy produced in 20 years. No other American play has excited such widespread discussion. Men of eminence and of all parties and professions endorse it. The magazines and editorial columns discuss it. Everybody goes to see it. It is strong and stirring. It does something more than reveal the working of Washington political life. There is a sound, wholesome, natural love story. There is abundant comedy and crisp epigrams that have become popular expressions of the day. Robert A. Fischer will be seen as Senator Langdon and Manager Wm. A. Brady will send a special New York cast, among whom are John Butler, John Arthur, W. H. Townsend, Arthur H. Ebbets, Thomas A. Irwin, Ernest Evers, Frank Hartwell, F. H. Bender, Walter Pollock, George H. Palmer, Emma Meffert, Leah Beard, Jane Otey, Jane Fernley, Beulah Watson and Lute Adams.

The Crystal Palace.

This week's bill at the popular Crystal Palace is making a decided hit. The following are among the offerings this week: Sammy Barton, amusing comedian, characteristic Italian and Jewish songs; Bonnie Rosedale, clever soubrette, several new, snappy songs; Mr. Fox Reilly in illustrated song, "Did He Run?" Motion pictures—The Indian Princess, a stirring Western drama.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. C. Parker, of Wallace, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. W. M. Branch has returned from a trip to Norfolk and Fayetteville.

—Mr. A. M. Reinhold has returned home after spending his vacation at Marietta, Pa.

—Miss Hattie Taylor has returned from New York, where she has been purchasing Fall millinery. Announcement of the opening will be made later.

—Mr. Baxter F. Ozment, formerly an employe of The Star, but now assistant foreman of The Charlotte Observer, is spending a few days in the city with friends.

—Friends will regret to learn that Mr. Thos. O. Bunting is seriously ill at his home on Fifth street. He is suffering from a general nervous breakdown and is being attended by Dr. R. H. Bellamy.

—Hon. H. L. Godwin, of Harnett, and State Senator Geo. H. Bellamy, of Brunswick, were over last night conferring with their friends in New Hanover relative to the Congressional primary to be held Thursday of this week.

—Mr. Meares Harriss, secretary of the North Carolina Waterways Association, returned yesterday morning from Providence, R. I., where he attended the third annual meeting of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, and a visit to other Northern cities.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 12.—Early returns from today's State election show majorities in favor of the initiative and referendum amendment and the usual large pluralities for the Democratic State ticket. Contrary to expectations the returns so far indicate that but a light vote was cast. The count is progressing slowly.

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PACER BREAKS RECORD.

Minor Heir Goes a Mile in 1:57—Lady Maud Finished Second.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 12.—In a special race at the State Fair grounds today, Minor Heir, by Heir at Law, broke the world's record for a paced mile by going the distance in 1:59. The previous record 2:00, set by Minor Heir at Galesburg, Ill., two weeks ago. The race was a triumph not only for the winner, but also for Lady Maud C., who finished second in 1:59 1-2 and George Gano, a close third at 1:59 3-4. Hedgewood Boy finished fourth in 2:00.

Pittsburg, Sept. 12.—The twelfth annual convention of the annual association of the American Association of retail druggists opened today and will continue until Friday night. The convention is attended by delegates from 1,026 associations affiliated with the national body and is expected to take important action looking to the development of the profession.

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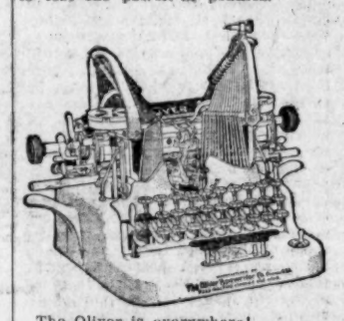

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

DECLINE IN COTTON MARKET

Close Was Quiet at Net Loss of 13 Points on September—No Sign of Any Further Spot Weakness in the South.

New York, Sept. 12.—An early loss was recovered in the cotton market today, but prices turned easier during the afternoon and the close was quiet at a net loss of 16 points on September and 7 to 9 points on later months.

The market opened easy at a decline of 10 to 14 points under scattering liquidation and bear pressure encouraged by favorable feather over Sunday; continued reports of labor troubles in Manchester; talk of larger receipts, and the fact that while September in Liverpool was relatively firm, later positions were comparatively easy. Offerings were well absorbed at the initial decline, however, as there was no sign of any further spot weakness in the South, and private cables from Liverpool suggested that the Manchester situation had been brought about by the spinners with a view to its sentimental influence on the September corner and that no actual lock-out was likely to occur. There was some support from the leading bulls, as well as profit taking by shorts and as soon as the decline was checked, within a point or two of the initial figures, the market rallied on covering by early sellers, with prices gradually working up to practically the closing figures of last week. Then, with the encouragement of the large estimate for tomorrow's receipts at Galveston, and the talk of a free movement in more easterly sections of the belt next week offerings became heavier, and the market eased off again in the late trading. Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to 1-8 lower. Interior receipts for the day were heavier, but shipments showed a corresponding increase, and clearances so far since September 1st are in excess of last year. Nothing more was heard of the West Indian storm which appears to have disappeared as a market factor over Sunday. Private cables reported further covering by September shorts in Liverpool.

Estimated receipts at the ports today 28,449 bales against 7,512 last week and 40,898 last year. For the week 140,000 bales against 94,815 last week and 241,526 last year.

Today's receipts at New Orleans 847 bales against 1,729 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, ten points lower; middling lower; middling uplands 13.90; middling gulf 14.15; sales 2,317 bales.

Futures opened easy and closed quiet.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	13.75	13.75	13.53	13.60
Oct.	12.97	13.07	12.94	12.99
Nov.	....	....	....	12.94
Dec.	12.92	13.03	12.91	12.97
Jan.	12.90	13.01	12.90	12.95
Feb.	....	....	....	12.97
March	12.90	13.10	12.90	13.03
May	13.03	13.11	13.03	13.06
June	....	....	....	13.05
July	13.10	....	....	13.04

Port Movement.

Galveston—Quiet; middling 13 7-2; net receipts 18,962; gross receipts 18,962; sales 1,450; stock 41,696; Gt. Britain 21,883; Continent 13,483; coastwise 10,426.

New Orleans—Quiet; middling 13 3-8; net receipts 847; gross receipts 847; sales 385; stock 15,230.

Mobile—Steady; middling 13; net receipts 347; gross receipts 347; sales 250; stock 1,987.

Savannah—Dull; middling 13 5-8; net receipts 7,639; gross receipts 7,658; sales 3,179; stock 19124; coastwise 3,344.

Charleston—Quiet; middling 13 5-8; net receipts 425; gross receipts 425; stock 1,065.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts 57; gross receipts 57; stock 302.

Norfolk—Steady; 13 3-4; net receipts 72; gross receipts 72; sales 2; stock 445.

Baltimore—Nominal; middling 14 1-4; gross receipts 1,548; stock 213; Continent 2,150.

New York—Quiet; middling 13.90; gross receipts 10,786; gross receipts 3,317; stock 96,043; Gt. Britain 12,455; Continent 3,262; coastwise 4,853.

Boston—Quiet; middling 13.90; stock 2,575.

Philadelphia—Steady; middling 14.15; gross receipts 13; stock 558.

Port Townsend—Net receipts 100; gross receipts 100; Japan 100.

Total today, at all ports—Net 28,449; Gt. Britain 34,338; Continent 18,895; Japan 100; stock 189,826.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net 49,353; Gt. Britain 34,538; Continent 21,108; Japan 100.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net 173,659; Gt. Britain 65,036; France 14,300; Continent 70,901; Japan 1,000.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady; middling 13 3-4; net receipts 28,341; gross receipts 28,341; shipments 23 0 8; sales 8,876; stock 35,464.

Augusta—Quiet; middling 13 1-2; net receipts 876; gross receipts 876; shipments 145; sales 495; stock 2,434.

Memphis—Quiet; middling 13 5-8; net receipts 7; gross receipts 318; shipments 321; stock 4,591.

St. Louis—Quiet; middling 13 3-4; gross receipts 135; shipments 136; stock 507.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 131; gross receipts 131; shipments 152; stock 6,114.

Little Rock—Quiet; middling 12 7-8; shipments 20; stock 1,728.

Louisville—Firm; middling " -8.

Total today—Net receipts 29,355; gross receipts 29,801; shipments 23,842; sales 9,371; stock 50,838.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot Quiet, Prices One Point Higher—Sales and Futures.

Liverpool, Sept. 12.—Cotton spot quiet; prices one point higher to 3 points lower; American middling fair 8.78; good middling 8.42; middling 8.22; low middling 8.02; good ordinary 7.76; ordinary 7.51. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 5,700 American. Receipts 1,000 bales, including 200 American. Futures opened easier and closed barely steady. September 7.90; September and October 7.11; October and November 6.90;; November and December 6. 83 1-2; December and January 6.80 1-2; January and February, February and March 6.80; March and April, April and May 6.80 1-2; May and June 6.81.

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Fannie Prescott, 316 tons, Cogswell, C. D. Mafflitt.

John Rose, 552 tons, Douglass, C. D. Mafflitt.

Phillips M. Brooks, 243 tons, Sanders, C. D. Mafflitt.

F. & T. Lupton, 797 tons, Longstreet, C. S. Mafflitt.

Joseph P. Cooper, 288 tons, Beachamp, C. D. Mafflitt.

John W. Hall, 329 tons, Bennett, C. D. Mafflitt.

Reliance (Br.) 191 tons, Loomer, C. D. Mafflitt.

Masachusetts, 4.. tons, Colerdale, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 12, 1910.

W. & W. Railroad—Bales cotton 1; casks spirits turpentine 1.

W. C. & A. Railroad—Bales cotton 56; casks spirits turpentine 1; barrels tar 2; barrels crude turpentine 21.

A. & Y. Railroad—Casks spirits turpentine 15; barrels rosin 62; barrels tar 9.

W. & N. Railroad—Casks spirits turpentine 2; barrels rosin 9; barrels crude turpentine 5.

Str. Whitlock—Casks spirits turpentine 2; barrels rosin 20; barrels crude turpentine 7.

Leo—Casks spirits turpentine 14; barrels rosin 75; barrels tar 16.

Total—Bales cotton 57; casks spirits turpentine 35; barrels rosin 166; barrels tar 27; barrels crude turpentine 33.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Sept. 12.—Flour steady with a quiet local trade.

Rye Flour and Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Quiet.

Barley—Steady.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red 1.04 elevator and 1.04 1-4 f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth 1.22 3-4 f.o.b. Futures closed at 1-2 to 5-8c net higher. September 1.04 1-4; December 1.07 3-4; May 1.12 3-8.

Corn—Strong; No. 2, 66 elevator domestic basis to arrive; No. 2, 65 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed 1-8 to 1c net higher. September 65 1-2; December 63 5-8; May 66 1-2.

Oats—Firm; standard white new 38 1-2; No. 2 white 39; No. 3, 39; No. 4, 37 1-2; Futures closed 3/4 to 3-4c net higher. September 38 1-4; December 40 5-8; May 43 3-4; July 43.

Beef and Tallow—Firm.

Lard—Firmer.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rice and Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw and refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures steady. Options 5 to 22p oints net lower. Spot coffee steady, Rio No. 7, 10 3-8 to 10 1-2; Santos No. 4, 11 1-4. Mild—Steady; Cordova 11 1-4 to 13 1-2.

Butter—Barely steady; receipts 4,807; creamery specials 32 to 32 1-2; extras 31; third to first 24 1-2 to 29; State, dairy common to finest 23 to 29; process second to special 23 to 27 1-2; factory June make 23 1-2 to 4; do current make 22 to 23; imitation creamery 24 to 25.

Cheese—Steady; receipts 1,294; State whole milk special 15 1-2 to 17; do fancy 15; do choice 14 3-4; do good to prime 14 to 14 1-2; do common to fair 10 1-2 to 13 3-4; skims full to special 2 1-2 to 12 1-2.

Eggs—Steady; receipts 10,276 State, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white 31 to 34; do gathered white 28 to 32; do hennery brown 28 to 30; do gathered brown 26 to 28; fresh gathered extra first 25 to 26; do first 23 to 24; do seconds 21 to 22.

Potatoes—Firm; Maine per barrel 1.00 to 1.75; State per 180 lbs. 1.50 to 2.00; Long Island per barrel 1.75 to 2.12; Jersey 1.60 to 1.90; Southern 1.25 to 1.75; do sweets per barrel 1.25 to 2.00; Jersey sweets 2.00 to 2.25.

Cabbages—Weak; per ton 10.00 to 12.00; barrel 50 to 75.

Freights—Steady; cotton to Liverpool per 100 lbs., 20 to 25; grain to Liverpool 1 1-2d; grain to London 1d.

Peanuts—Steady; fancy handpicked Virginia handpicked 5 1-4 to 5 1-2; Nos. 1 and 2, 4 to 6 3-4.

Cotton Seed Oil—Firm and higher on covering of shorts, light offerings of crude, support from refiners and local bull support. The close was generally 1 to 8 points higher. September 10.22 to 10.25; October 8.92 to 8.93; November 7.69 to 7.70; December 7.35 to 7.38; January 7.34 to 7.36; prime crude October 6.67 bid; prime summer yellow 10.24 to 10.30; prime winter yellow 11.00 to 11.50; prime summer white 10.00 to 12.00.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Sept. 12.—Rosin steady, turpentine Quiet.

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 12.—Spirits turpentine firm. Sales 5,941; receipts 394; shipments 223; stocks 17,483.

Rosin, firm; receipts 3,949; stock 68,607; sales 2,249.

Quote: B. 5.95 to 6.00; D. 6.05 to 10.00; E. 6.20; F. 6.20 to 25.00; G. 6.20 to 30; H. 6.20 to 6.30; I. 6.35 to 6.40; K. 6.45; M. 6.50; N. 6.55 to 7.00; WG. 6.65 to 7.00; W. W. 6.75 to 7.00.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 12.—Turpentine firm, 71 1-4.

Rosin, firm. Quote: B. 5.95; D. 6.05; E. 6.15; F. 6.20; G. 6.25; H. 6.30; I. 6.35; K. 6.40; M. 6.45; N. 6.55; WG. 6.65; WW. 6.75.

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RE-SALE OF STOCK FEATURE

Rock Island Stock Formerly Held by Pearson Syndicate Goes to Phelps, Dodge & Co.—Arouses the Market.

New York, Sept. 12.—The news incident of the day in the financial markets was the re-sale by Kuhn, Loeb & Company to Phelps, Dodge & Comnay, of the Rock Island preferred stock, which was purchased from the Pearson syndicate in July at a time when demoralization threatened the stock market. The reception of the secondary transaction by the stock market today was in marked contrast with the electrifying effect of the announcement of the first.

A comparison of market prices then and now may account for the difference in the sentimental effect Rock Island preferred then touched 54, while today it rose to 66 5-8, a rise from Saturday's closing price of 3 1-2, thus leaving a narrowing margin for the expression of improvement. Prices on the general list are correspondingly higher than when the Rock Island deal acted as an arrest to threatened demoralization.

Today's announcement was of very moderate influence towards arousing the stock market from its apathy. The new arrangement offered no sensational suggestions of extensive realignments in the railroad field.

More effect was produced on the day's stock market by the inference drawn by the professional trading element from the power of resistance to unfavorable factors shown by last week's market. Politics was believed to have lost its power for harm, for the present. Little fear is now entertained that the money market will be subjected to stringent conditions this Autumn. The crop prospect is promising, although a renewal fall in temperature and predictions of frost in the corn belt served as warning against overconfidence today.

Bond dealings were larger and a greater number of issues were dealt in than lately, but the activity was mostly in bonds of the speculative class. The tone was irregular. Total sales par value $1,876,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day 217,800 shares, including: Tobacco 200; C. & O. 500; N. & W. 300; Reading 63,300; Sloss-Sheffield 100; Southern Railway 400; preferred 200; U. P. 800; U. S. Steel 35,900; V. C. C. 300

New York Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s, registred	101
U. S. ref. 2s coupon	101
U. S. 3s, registered	101 3-4
U. S. 3s, coupon	101 3-4
U. S. 4s registered	115
U. S. 4s, coupon	115
Allis Chalmers, 1st 5s	76
American Agricultural 5s	101
American Tel. & Tel. cv. 4s	100 1-2
American Tobacco 4s	80
American Tobacco 6s	105 1-2
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	92 3-4
Atchison gen. 4s	99
Atchison cv. 4s	106
Atchison cv. 5s	108
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	93 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	90
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	92 1-4
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	81 7-8
Central of Georgia 5s	105 1-8
Central Leather 5s	98 1-2
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	122
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	100 3-4
Chesapeake & Ohio cv. 4 1-2s	92
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	69
Chicago, B. & Quincy joint 4s	96
Chicago, B. & Quincy gen. 4s	97 3-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. deb. 4s	92 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. R. R. col. 4s	74 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. rf. 4s	89 1-4
Colorado Industrial 5s	74
Colorado Midland 4s	69
Colorado & So. ref. & ext. 4 1-2s	96
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	96 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	92 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	91 1-4
Distillers 5s	69
Erie prior lien 4s	82 5-8
Erie gen. 4s	71 1-2
Erie cv. 4s, series "A"	70
Erie cv. 4s, series "B"	65
General Electric cv. 5s	136
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	96 1-4
Interborough-Met. 4 1-2s	79
Inter. Merc., Marine 4 1-2s	61 1-2
Japan 4s	88 3-4
Japan 4 1-2s	94 1-4
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72 1-4
Lake Shore deb. 4s	92 1-2
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	97 1-2
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97 3-4
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	85
Missouri Pacific 4s	77
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	95
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	88 1-4
New York Central deb. 4s	95 3-8
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	133 5-8
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	98 1-2
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	90 1-2
Northern Pacific 4s	100 3-4
Northern Pacific 3s	71 1-8
Oregon short Line rfdg 4s	92 1-4
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	95 7-8
Penn. con. 4s	102
Reading gen. 4s	98
St. Louis & San Fran. 4s	80 7-8
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	86
St. Louis S'western 1st con. 4s	75
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	89
Seaboard Air Line 4s	70 1-4
Southern Pacific col. 4s	90 1-4
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	97
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	94
Southern Railway 5s	105 1-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	74
Union Pacific 4s	100 3-4
Union Pacific cv. 4s	102 1-4
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	96
U. S. Rubber 6s	102 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	103 7-8
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	79 1-4
Wabash 1st 5s	109
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	89 3-4
Western Md. 4s	84 1-4
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	89
Wisconsin Central 4s	92 1-4
Missouri Pacific cv. 5s	92 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd.	30 1-2
Amalgamted Copper	63 1-2
American Agricultural	43 3-4
American Beet Sugar	37
American Co.	77 7-8
American Car & Foundry	47
American Cotton Oil	62 1-8
American Hide & Leather pfd.	22
American Ice Securities	18 5-8
American Linseed	12
American Locomotive	35
American Smelting & Refng	67
Amer. Smelting & Refining pfd.	103
Am. Steel Foundries	43
American Sugar Refining	117 1-2
American Tel. & Tel.	134 3-4
American Tobacco, pfd.	93 1-4
American Woolen	27 1-4
Anaconda Mining Co.	39 1-4
Atchison	97 3-4
Atchison pfd.	99 5-8
Atlantic Coast Line	108 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	102 1-2
Bethlehem Steel	27 1-8
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	73 1-2
Canadian Pacific	190 7-8
Central Leather	33 1-4
Central Leather pfd.	104
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake & Ohio	72 3-4
Chicago & Alton	31
Chicago Great Western	22 1-4
Chicago Great Western pfd.	45
Chicago & North Western	144
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	119 1-2
C., C. C. & St. Louis	75
Colorado Fuel & Iron	29 5-8
Colorado & Southern	32 1-8
Consolidated Gas	129 1-2
Corn Products	13 5-8
Delaware & Hudson	164
Denver & Rio Grande	29 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande pfd.	70 1-2
Distillers' Securities	26
Erie	25 3-4
Erie 1st pfd.	43 1-2
Erie 2nd pfd.	31 3-4
General Electric	142 1-2
Great Northern pfd.	124 1-4
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	54 1-2
Illinois Central	128
Interborough-Met.	18
Interborough-Met. pfd.	48 3-4
Inter Harvester	96 1-8
Inter-Marine pfd.	15 3-4
International Paper	9 1-2
International Pump	40
Iowa Central	16
Kansas City Southern	29
Kansas City Southern pfd.	62 1-4
Laclede Gas	99 1-2
Louisville & Nashville	141 3-4
Minneapolis & St. Louis	23 3-4
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	128 1-2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30 7-8
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd.	61
Missouri Pacific	52 1-2
National Biscuit	114
National Lead	51 3-4
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd.	31 1-2
New York Central	111
New York, Ontario & Western	40
Norfolk & Western	96
North American	66
Northern Pacific	114 1-8
Pacific Mail	27 3-4
Pennsylvania	128 1-2
Peoples Gas	106 1-4
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	93
Pittsburg Coal	16 1-4
Pressed Steel Car	33
Pullman Palace Car	159
Railway Steel Spring	30 3-4
Reading	140
Republic Steel	30
Republic Steel pfd.	94
Rock Island Co.	30 5-8
Rock Island Co. pfd.	66 1-4
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd.	1-2
St. Louis Southwestern	24
St. Louis Southwestern pfd.	57
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	56
Southern Pacific	112 3-4
Southern Railway	22 1-2
Southern Railway pfd.	51 1-2
Tennessee Copper	27 1-4
Texas & Pacific	26
Toledo, St. Louis & West	22 1-2
Toledo, St. Louis & West. pfd.	49
Union Pacific	163 3-4
Union Pacific pfd.	90
United States Realty	71
United States Rubber	33 3-4
United States Steel	68 1-2
United States Steel pfd.	116 1-4
Utah Copper	46 1-4
Virginia Carolina Chemical	58
Wabash	16 1-2
Wabash pfd.	35 7-8
Western Maryland	44 1-4
Westinghouse Electric	59
Western Union	63 1-2
Wheeling & Lake Erie	4 1-2

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady 70 1-4 cents.

ROSIN—Market steady $3.45 per barrel, of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm $2.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm $4.00 per barrel for hard; $5.50 for dip and $6.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine firm 44c; rosin firm $2.55; tar steady $1.60; crude turpentine firm $1.75, $2.75 and $3.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	35
Rosin	106
Tar	27
Crude turpentine	33

Receipts same day last year 38; casks spirits turpentine 38; barrels rosin; 94 barrels tar; 30 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET

Market quiet 13 5-16. Quotations corresponding day last year 12 cents.

Receipts of cotton at the port today 57 bales, same day last year 2,703 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 10.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel.

CORN—Firm 85 to 90 per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Dull; hams 20; shoulders 16 cents, and side 17c.

EGGS—Good demand 25 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 25 and 30; grown 40, scarce.

BEESEWAX—Firm 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60 to 70 cents per bushel.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound.

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GEESE—Out of Season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Grown $1.00 to $2.50.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—Out of Season.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 40 to 50c per bushel, dull.

COTTON MARKET DECLINE.

Slump in Liverpool Shock to Traders. As to Southern Markets.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Sept. 12.—Few expected so sharp a decline in Liverpool, when they heard there was no pressure to sell in the Southern markets, but that the local mills were absorbing the daily receipts. Therefore, the foreign advices were in the nature of a shock to the local trader, who had expected the advance abroad to continue. From the opening the decline was quickly recovered on reports of deterioration from the Memphis district and portions of Alabama, but at the advance the market became dull, closing quiet at 7 to 8 points lower. September broke on small profit taking sales, the interest in that position is believed to be small. The local trade expect spinners will continue to buy freely at these prices. Speculation or investment demand seems to be lacking at the moment.

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(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

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THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Indications today pointed to an oversold condition in the wheat market. Prices were considerably more responsive to strengthening than to depressing influences. A firm tone prevailed at the close which was at a net advance of 5-8 to 7-8c. Latest quotations showed corn 3-4 to 7-8 to 1 1-4c. higher than Saturday night, oats up 1-2 to 5-8 to 3-4c., and hog products varying from 20c. gain to 2 1-2c. loss.

Cash close: Wheat No. 2 red 96 3-4 to 97 1-4; No. 3 do. 95 to 96; No. 2 hard 97 1-2 to 100; No. 3 do. 95 to 97; No. 1 Northern 114 to 116; No. 2 do. 113 to 115; No. do. 111 to 114; No. 2 Spring 100 to 108; No. 3 do. 93 to 105; velvet chaff 92 to 97; durum 87 1-2 to 94.

Corn, No. 2, 57 1-2; No. 2 white 57 1-2 to 58; No. 2 yellow 57 to 58; No. 3, 56 to 57; No. 3 white 57 to 57 1-2; No. 4, 55 to 56 1-2; No. 4 white 55 to 56; No. 2 yellow 55 1-2 to 56 1-2.

Oats, No. 2, 31; No. 2 white 34 to 35; No. 3, 30 1-2 to 33; No. 3 white 33 to 33 1-2; No. 4 do. 32 1-2 to 33; standard 35 3-4 to 34 1-2.

Wheat—				
Sept.	96¾	96¾	95½	96
Dec.	1 00¼	1 00⅝	99½	1 00¼
May	1 06⅝	1 06½	1 05⅝	1 06½
Corn—				
Sept.	57⅛	57⅝	56⅞	57⅜
Dec.	55⅝	56	55¼	55⅝
May	58½	59	58	58⅞
Oats—				
Sept.	32⅝	33¼	32⅝	33⅛
Dec.	35¼	35½	34⅜	35⅛
May	38⅜	38¾	38	38⅝
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
Sept.	20 40	20 50	20 37½	20 50
Oct.	20 50	20 50	37½	20 45
Jan.	18 85	18 87½	18 80	18 85
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept.	12 42½	12 55	12 42½	12 55
Oct.	12 47½	12 47½	12 40	12 45
Nov.	11 82½	11 82½	11 77½	11 77½
Nov.	11 82½	11 82½	11 77½	11 82½
Jan.	10 87½	10 87½	10 82½	10 85
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept.	11 95	11 95	11 90	11 92½
Oct.	11 75	11 77½	11 72½	11 75
Jan.	9 92½	9 92½	9 87½	9 90

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Sept. 12.—The week opened with a more general collection of small orders than for some time. Finished goods in jobbers hands are in light volume, and shipments and orders of staples are being rushed. Gingham mills appear to have a full Winter season ahead but at low prices Drills and sheetings show strength. Staple prints were in more demand than for seven months.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Sept. 12.—Money on call easy 1 7-8 to 2 per cent.; ruling rate and closing bid 1 7-8; offered at 2.

Time loans easy; 60 days 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. and 90 days 4 to 1-8; six months 4 1-2 to 3-4.

Close: Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8330 to 60 for 60 day bills and at 4.8610 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 7-8 to 4.83 3-8. Bar silver 52 7-8; Mexican dollars 44.

OVER 100 YEARS OLD.

Death of Aged Colored Woman Near Garland, N. C.—Family.

Garland, N. C., Sept. 12.—"Aunt" Lucy Melvin, possibly the oldest and one of the most remarkable colored women in the State, died near here Saturday morning at the age of 108 years. She was the mother of 14 children, the grandmother of 40, the great grandmother of 25 and the great-great grandmother of 15. She lived in Cypress Creek township, Bladen county, with her youngest son, Hardy Melvin, who is about 60 years old.

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Sealed proposals for grading, paving and curbing certain streets in and for the city of Wilmington, N. C., will be received by the Commissioners of Streets at the City Hall, up to 12 o'clock noon, October 15th, 1910, and at that time they will be opened and publicly read, addressed to Louis S. Belden, Chairman, and endorsed 'Proposals for Paving Streets."

The work for which proposals are invited consists approximately of 93,300 square yards of pavement, and 19,000 lineal feet of granite curb.

Each proposal must be accompanied with a certified check in the sum of 5 per cent. of the contract price, made payable to the Commissioners of Streets of the city of Wilmington.

Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application to the Chairman of the Commissioners of Streets, and a full set of plans can be seen at the office of the Engineer of the Commissioners of Streets.

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C. R. HUMPHREY,, Engineer,
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One lot patent and tan Oxfords, were $1.75, now $1.19
One lot white Canvas Oxfords, were 75c, now 39c
One lot white canvas Oxfords, were $1.25, now 59c
One lot tan, patent, and gun metal Shuffert, were $1.95, now 98c

LADIES' OXFORDS.

One lot large Misses' tan Oxfords, were $2.00, now $1.39
One lot Ladies' several styles, black, were $3.00, now $1.45
One lot several styles, black and tan, were $3.00, now $1.98
One lot patent and gun metal Oxfords, were $3.00, now $2.48

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If you have never worn Stein-Bloch Smart Clothes we want to get you to try one suit. If you have been used to high grade custom tailored clothes the only difference you will notice will be the price. If you have been wearing other makes of ready-to-wear clothes, the differences will be too numerous to mention. We have just unpacked a splendid lot of new fresh Fall Suits in the fabrics and shades of the season.

A full line of Stetson Hats just received.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 13, 1910.

Meteorogical data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Monday, Sept. 12th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 69 degrees; 8 P. M. 77 degrees; maximum 83 degrees; minimum 68 degrees; mean 76 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month 1.31 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Monday, 8.1 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Unsettled weather Tuesday and Wednesday; east winds, increasing.

Advisory Storm Message.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 12.—Advisory message 3 P. M.: Tropical disturbance in Gulf of Mexico apparently moving slowly. Intensity unknown.

MOORE.

Port Calendar—September 13.

Sun Rises.....5:54 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:22 P. M.
Day's Length.....12 hrs. 28 min.
High water at Southport 2:10 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 5:10 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. D. Brown—Dry Goods.
W. L. I.—Attention Members.
Hommett's—For Many Years.
American Nat. Bank—Resources.
J. M. Solky & Co.—Fall Display.
Tidewater Power Co.—Moving Day.
W. D. MacMillan, Jr.—Get an E. M. F.
St. John's Lodge—Regular Communication.

Business Locals.

Mrs. Price—For Rent.
Lost—Rose Carved Pin.
Palace Market—Fresh Meats.
Iredell Meares—Will Speak.
For Sale—Florist's Business.
Lady Stenographer—Position wanted.
Baggett Brothers—Wanted to Exchange.

DEMOCRATS SCORE VICTORY IN MAINE

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cratic as well as Republican, the returns late tonight indicated the possibility that the next State Legislature will be Democratic. The Senate will probably have a Democratic majority. The House complexion is in doubt.

Returns from all but 48 of the election districts of the State showed a plurality for Plaisted for Governor of 8,500.

The missing districts are nearly all in remote parts of Aroostock county and in outlying islands along the coast.

In the second district, which was formerly represented by the late Nelson M. Dingley, father of the Dingley tariff law, Daniel J. McGillicuddy was elected Congressman by 3,000 over John P. Swasey, the present incumbent, and Congressman Edwin C. Burleigh, who has represented the third district since 1892, was defeated by Samuel W. Gould, another Democrat, by a small margin.

The result in the first and fourth districts was most in doubt late to night, although the indications were that Asher C. Hinds, Republican, had won over William M. Pennell, Democrat, in the former, and that Congressman Frand E. Guernsey, Republican, had been defeated in the latter by Geo. M. Hanson, Democrat, by a small vote.

The first district seat was formerly occupied by Speaker Thomas Reed, while the late Charles Boutelle was distinguished for many years as the fourth district Representative.

There will be at least 16 Democratic Senators out of 31, and 99 Democratic Representatives out of 151 in the next Legislature with indications that the Democratic party will have the choosing of a successor to United States Senator Eugene Hale next Winter.

The vote for Governor with 48 small districts missing was: Plaisted (Democrat) 72,708; Fernald, (Republican) 63,715. The corresponding vote in 1906, also an off year, was: Cobb, (Republican) 68,087; Davis, (Democrat) 60,784.

The missing districts in 1906 gave Cobb (Republican) 1,149; Davis (Democrat) 698.

Parker Talks on Result.

New York, Sept. 12.—Judge Alton B. Parker, who ran against Roosevelt in 1904, when informed tonight of the Maine results, said with a rising inflection: "Really?"

There was no statement he cared to make at the moment, he said.

Judge Parker recently returned from Maine, where he made three campaign speeches. Judge Parker later consented to supplement his first elaculation.

"The Democratic party in Maine," he said, "as to its State ticket, made it contest on the ground that the Republican party had been wasteful and extravagant in its conduct of the affairs of the State.

"Its leaders and its press presented no new issues and made no demagogic appeals, but pleaded simply for the abolition of dictatorial and corrupt bosses and for an honest, economical, and just administration of the affairs of the State.

"The Democratic party in other words deserved to win and the country is to be congratulated that it has won."

When the results from Maine were made known to Lloyd C. Griscom, president of the New York Republican county committee, he issued this advice:

"All the more important that New York should not go Democratic. The returns from Maine are the best of evidence to show the people of this State that a change in leadership is necessary."

Norman E. Mack, of Buffalo, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, when he heard the latest returns from the Maine elections tonight said:

"All that I can say now is that the expressions of the sentiment which have been coming in to us from all over the country indicated the possibility of such a result. But, of course, it is almost too good to be true.

"What does it indicate? You know you don't need to ask me that—it indicates a sweeping Democratic victory from coast to coast.

"Chairman Lloyd, of the Congressional Committee, was talking to me in Buffalo early last week after returning from the Pacific coast and he told me then that the sentiment he found out there was the same which victoriously manifested itself tonight in Maine."

CHICAGO PACKERS UNDER INDICTMENT

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the method for so doing was first to refrain from bidding up the prices of live stock and then to agree on a uniform system of figuring the cost of meats of branch houses. This resulted in the placing of an excessive price on the meat.

The next step, says the indictment, was to force managers of branch houses to obtain this price. If any margin less than the price was permitted, it was one agreed by all of the defendants.

The second indictment is virtually the same as the first except that conspiracy, instead of a combination in restraint of trade, is charged.

The third indictment charges that the packers have monopolized the trade in fresh meats by the following means:

By a combination eliminating competition in the purchases of cattle and in the sales of meats.

By conducting the business of the National Packing companies in harmony with the Swift, Armour and Morris interests.

By removing the New York Butchers and Dressed Meat Association from the field of competition by purchasing stock in that concern, from time to time, until control of it was obtained.

J. Ogden Armour, head of Armour & Co., one of the packers indicted, issued a statement tonight in part as follows:

"I deeply regret the bringing of these indictments for the charges are unfounded as will be shown when the cases come to trial. The true facts will then be made known. Misunderstandings and prejudices have been the basis of these attacks. They can now and will be removed.

"The defendants do only about one-third of the packing business of the entire country. Their entire profits are not over two and one-half per cent. of their total business. This margin of profit is less than made by any other kind of manufacturing business in the world. Yet we are attacked and assailed at all times and from all quarters.

"The fact that the business has been conducted with the very smallest margin of profit is a demonstration that no combination to depress the cost of live stock, or to increase the prices of fresh meats, could have been possible. Prejudice has arisen in the minds of many on account of the higher cost to the consumer of pork and beef products. These higher prices are wholly due to the higher cost of live stock."

IN A CANOE.

Boys Traveling Long Voyage in a Small Boat.

New Orleans, Sept. 12—Lloyd Kauffman and Ralph Buch, two young men of Linitz, Pa., arrived here yesterday morning in a 17-foot canoe, having completed a 2,000-mile river voyage in 64 days. Except for two narrowly averted disasters, once stopping only ten feet short of being shot over a dam in the upper Ohio river while paddling in a heavy mist, and a few days later missing by a few feet a collision with a coal barge in a swift current of the same river while traveling by moonlight, the youths reported an enjoyable and healthful journey.

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The New Bonds

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POR RENT—October 1st, house, eight rooms, electric lights, bath and lavatory, deep back lot. Apply to Mrs. W. Price, 311 South Fifth stret. 'Phone 189. se-13-1t

WANTED—To exchange a rubber tired buggy or a light surry for a heavy rubber tired surry. Baggett Bros. 'Phone 173. se-13-1t

FRESH MEATS. Where? Palace Market Company. We have it all. Call us up. We are in business. 'Phone No. 72. se-13-1t

FLORIST BUSINESS for sale or lease. Fine opportunity for man or woman to secure very profitable growing business. Owner leaving town. Apply 510 South Third street. 'Phone 1249. se-13-3t*

IREDELL MEARES, ESQ., will address the citizens of New Hanover county at the Court House tonight on National Issues. 8 P. M. se-13-1t

LOST—Sunday night at Lumina or on beach north of Lumina, rose carved pin, set in pearls. Liberal reward to finder if left for "C. E. H." at this office. se-13-1t*

WANTED—A position by a lady stenographer. References furnished. Address "Stenographer," P. O. Box 513, 'phone 655. se-13-1t.

FOR SALE—The valuable property on Princess street formerly occupied by The Morning Star newspaper. Size of lot 58 1-4x66. Four floors, including basement. Opposite site of the new $500,000 Custom House. For details apply to Wm. H. Bernard. au 23 2t

THE GILBERT HOUSE—Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets, junction of all car lines. Electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Special rates to regular and table boarders. ma 20 tf

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS—Wanted in Wilmington. Examinations November 12. $800 to $1,000. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Depat. 268-T. au-27-1mo*.

WANTED TO BUY, residence well located, on or near car line. Seven rooms exclusive of kitchen, pantry and bath. One-story cottage preferred, with lot 60x165. Address "Home Comfort," care Star office.

FOR SALE—The best line of trunks and suit cases in the city. At Uncle Charley's Pawn Shop, 108 Market street. jul 31 tf

DISCOUNTS AS FOLLOWS—20 Per Cent. on all Solid Gold and Sterling Silver Goods. 25 Per Cent. on Gold Filled and Plated Goods, Cut Glass and other articles. 50 Per cent. on handpainted and Imported China goods. 40 Per Cent. on Vases and other odds and ends. Above discounts will positively close September 1st. J. T. Burke, the Jeweler, 27 South Front street. au 14 tf

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ANNOUNCEMENT—Messrs. Foltz & Kendrick wish to announce that they have taken possession of the U. C. Ellis Studio. They have placed it in a perfectly sanitary condition, and are prepared to make the finest class of portrait work ever shown in Wilmington. ap 24 tf

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WANTED AT ONCE—Lady in each town in North Carolina to take orders for Klosfit Petticoats. Address Mrs. R. J. House, Oak City, N. C. se-11-2t*

WANTED—Monday morning September 6th at 7 o'clock, 20 teams with dump carts and shovels at Fifth and Greenfield. Two dollars per day. John H. Huck. se-11-1t*

CAPE FEAR ACADEMY opens September 14, 117 Orange street. Prepare for college or business. Backward pupils taught with individual instruction. W. Catlett, Principal. se-11-13-18-20-4t*

FOR RENT—Tin covered warehouse on Water between Dock and Orange streets. Sixty feet river frontage, 85 feet deep. On dividing line. Apply to W. H. Yopp. se-11-3t*

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FOR SALE—Choice lot on Walnut between Third and Fourth streets. Apply to J. G. Wright & Son, Sole Agents. se-11-t

THOSE WHO ARE THINKING of moving October the first and have not secured their house can get what they want by calling on Wright's Real Estate Agency, 124 Princess street. e-11-2t

WE HAVE SEVERAL CHOICE homes for sale; one on North Fifth street; one on Chestnut; two at Carolina Heights, and other good locations. J. G. Wright & Son. se-11-2t

FIFTEENTH SERIES of the Rural Building & Loan Association will open on Saturday, October 1, 1910. You can subscribe for shares now. Lends money to its stock holders to build homes. The best and easiest way to save money. For any information see the Secretary, James Owen Reilly, No. 118 Princess street. se-11-3t

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MOVING DAY OCT. 1ST—Tienken's barber shop will move to Second and Market streets, next to the Dispatch office. se-11-4t.

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FOR RENT—From October 1st, residence 205 Church street, beautiful home, good location. Apply to D. Rountree, Colonial inn, Third and Market streets. se-9-tf

TO THE PUBLIC—I have just returned from New York where I purchased a full line of exclusive patterns in which we have the most fashionable line of Brown's which are going to be the prevailing shade this fall, also greys, blues and blacks all new goods, with the latest ideas. Call and get first choice. F. H. Krahnke. se-7-6t.

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ATTENTION W. L. I!

By request of the committee which is looking into the building of a gymnasium, there will be a special meeting Tuesday night, September 13th, 8 o'clock. Full attendance is requested as business of great importance will be transacted.

E. H. HOLMES, President.

se. 13—1t.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M.

Regular Monthly Communication this Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, for planing Fall work and for business pertaining to the Lodge. All affiliated Masons are cordially invited to meet with us.

By order of the W. M.

A. S. HOLDEN, Secretary.

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